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BLOWN OVER THE TOPS OF HOUSES.

Five Men Killed by the Explosion of a Caisson.

WERE FIRING A SALUTE.

Appalling Accident to the Louisville Battery While Participating in G. A. R. Encampment Exercises.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

LOUISVILLE Ky., Sept. 11.—Seven men were instantly killed and two others badly wounded by the explosion of a caisson on Broadway between Third and Fourth streets at 5:30 this morning.

The names of the killed are:
AL ROBINSON.
CHARLES WOODS.
—— McBRIDE.
HOWARD IRWIN.
WM. ADAMS (colored).

The wounded are:
FRED COHN, eyes and face badly burned.
WM. HOBBS.

The victims of the accident, with the exception of Adams, were all members of Battery A, Kentucky National Guard, and lived in this city. Robinson was a Corporal of the battery in charge of the squad; the others were privates, with the exception of Adams, who was employed as a driver.

The bodies of two of the victims were blown over the tops of the adjacent houses and fell in the yards in the rear, horribly mangled.

The two horses attached to the cannon were so terribly crippled that they will be killed.

The accident, it is supposed, was caused by some one of the squad permitting the cover of the caisson to drop on a friction primer, which ignited the ammunition in the caisson and caused it to explode.

As soon as the accident occurred the city ambulance was called and the wounded men were taken to the Norton Infirmary, where their injuries were attended to. It is feared that Fred Cohn will die. The whole left side of his face was blown off. Even if he should recover he will be blind and horribly disfigured. Hobbs was badly burned about the face and bruised.

The place where the accident occurred is one of the finest residence districts in the city. Fortunately, few people were on the street, owing to the early hour, or the list of killed and injured would undoubtedly have been greatly increased.

Every window in the block is blown out. Nearly every one in the nieghborhood was asleep and the noise and concussion caused by the explosion almost created a panic. Half-clad men and terrified women came running from their homes and a most horrible sight met their eyes.

The body of the colored driver, mangled almost beyond recognition, fell on the front porch of a residence, fully 300 feet from the place where the explosion occurred. Just outside the fence and on the sidewalk was the body of Private Woods. Bits of flesh and pieces of bloody uniform were scattered all along the street and clinging to the tree tops and in the shattered windows. A leg and half a coat were found on Third street, one block south of where the explosion took place. They must have been blown clear over a three-story and basement house. Several mangled legs and arms were found on the tops of adjacent houses.

It is believed that the body of Private Hutchins was blown to pieces, as it has not yet been found. A hook and ladder truck of the City Fire Department was called, and, with ladders, every house top in the vicinity was searched in vain for the missing body. But on nearly every house top was found portions of the bodies of the unfortunate young men.

The body of Howard Irwin was so badly mangled that it was almost impossible to gather it up. It was found at the intersection of Broadway and Fourth street, almost a block away.

It is now learned that the battery was on its way to Phoenix Mill for the purpose of firing a salute of forty-four guns. There were sixty-six pounds of powder in the caisson.

Richard Cogan, who was about two blocks from the caisson when it blew up, said the noise it made was terrific. The concussion was so great that the buildings even at that distance were shaken and in several of the houses around windows were shattered. He hastened to the scene at once and lent a helping hand in gathering up the remains of the dead militiamen.

In a few minutes every one in the neighborhood was out. Many of the women, said Mr. Cogan, fainted as soon as they came out, the sight was so horrible.

In a short time news of the disaster had spread over the entire city. Bulletins were posted at all the newspaper offices and in several of the public buildings, giving the names of the dead and wounded. The accident greatly mars the day. Every one had been prepared for a grand and joyous event. The tens of thousand of visitors who thronged the streets and hotels of the town were everywhere heard to express their sorrow.

It is doubtful if there ever occurred in this region an accident that has caused such widespread sorrow. The regiment to which the young men belonged is made up of the pick and flower of Louisville. Many of them are society leaders and of wealthy families.

Capt. David Castleman, who was in charge of the battery, was riding at the side of the detail. He escaped injury. The report that one of the men was smoking is denied by Capt. Castleman.

Col. Joe B. Castleman, of the First Infantry, to which battery A belongs, said it was one of those unfortunate accidents that can not be guarded against. A similar one occurred in Chicago during the strike in which four men were killed and several wounded.

Gov. John Young Brown, who was stopping with Maj. George B. Easton at the latter's residence, was asleep in bed. The explosion stunned him and it was some time before he could realize what had happened. All the furniture in the hall was damaged by the explosion. The explosion shook all the leaves off a tree in the front yard.

Daniel F. Reidhaa lives next to Judge Easton's house. Every window was broken in the house and several were badly stunned.

SCHOOL IS IN AGAIN.

And Here is Bad Boy Grover Dreaming Over a Fairy Story in Study Hours.

THE FOULING OF DEFENDER.

No Decision Arrived at by the Regatta Committee.

WITNESSES BEING HEARD.

What Capts. Haff and Cranfield Say of the Bumping of the Boats.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The unfortunate accident in the second race for the America's cup between Defender and Valkyrie III., by which Defender was crippled just before the start yesterday, was the general topic of conversation to-day among yachtsmen at the hotels, in the trains and on the streets. Scores of people called at the New York Yacht Club-house on Madison avenue to learn the result of the decision in Defender's protest and were told the Regatta Committee were discussing the matter and that no decision would be rendered until evening, owing to the impossibility of hearing witnesses as early as the committee would like.

Capt. Haff, of the Defender, explains the foul in this way:

"I wanted to keep away from the Valkyrie, but Capt. Cranfield would not let me. He would persist in following me up all the time, in spite of all that I could do to keep out of his way. He bore right square off. We had the light ship to steer by, and I kept right on by that. He got so close to it that he got rattled. It was all a piece of foolishness on his part."

Capt. Crawford of Valkyrie says:

"We were standing straight for the line when the Defender came along in the same direction and suddenly shoved her helm down hard and stood toward us. At that time we were abreast of the committee boat, the Luckenbach, and it was impossible for us to give way, because if we had luffed we should have been forced against the big tug.

"We kept on our way, as we were compelled to do, and the Defender keeping on here, struck our boom with her backstay, which was broken from the contact. We were in advance and had the right of way, most certainly, as the committee can testify, and the Defender has only herself to blame for the accident. How any one could pretend to blame us when the position of the boats at the time of the accident occurred is considered, I cannot see. The very fact that the Defender hit her backstay on our boom while we were keeping on a straight course speaks for itself."

Defender and Valkrie were towed to the Erie basin early this morning, and the sailors on each went to work scrubbing their shining underbodies as fast as the water receded. Defender's injured spar was taken out at the south end of the dock, where she lay, and a force of men at once got to work to fit another topmast.

The one damaged yesterday was seen to have a great section split off at the point where the topsail strained it yesterday. This was just clear of the top of the mainmast, and it showed how great had been the strain, and how sturdy was the stick to stand it so well. The crack went part way through it, but the toughness of the pine kept it from parting, and even allowed the use of the jib topsail on the third leg of yesterday's race. Time would not allow the making and fitting of a new one, so the stick used by Columbia two years ago was pressed into service. It was not so heavy as the damaged one, and looks to be hardly as good quality, but that may be because it is more weather-beaten and not dressed and varnished. It was brought over from Poillon's yard this morning.

The damaged spreader was also taken out. Its outboard end appeared just as if it had been bitten or gnawed off.

After Valkyrie's hull had been scrubbed from bobstay to rudder port, her men went to work with chamois leather to make a good job.

The conditions are favorable for fair weather, with a fresh sailing breeze from a southwesterly quarter, for to-morrow's yacht race, according to the local bureau.

To-morrow's race, like that of Saturday, will be over a straight course, fifteen miles and return.

BRITISH JUBILATION.

Manly Comments of English Newspapers on the Result of the Race.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The greatest excitement prevailed here last night over the victory of the Valkyrie III. Extra editions were issued by the newspapers detailing the progress of the race, and there were large crowds about the bulletin boards. The joy was tempered by a fear, however, that the protest of Defender might deprive Valkyrie of her victory.

The newspapers this morning comment generally on the race, and all express regret over the fouling.

The Chronicle says: "We can not consider it a clear win, and it will always be open to the Americans to say that it was not a fair win, and we are sure that Lord Dunraven would rather sail it over again than to have that believed by the Western world. Line for line, despite the accident, Defender showed herself to be the faster boat."

The Times, in its comments on the race, says: "Everybody will deeply regret the accident, whatever be the technicalities of the matter. The accounts seem to show that Defender sailed in a more or less crippled condition. The victory, therefore, if awarded, will not be one upon which we can look with satisfaction. What we would all wish would be to see the remaining races won alternately and the whole contest decided by a neck and neck finish in consequence. This disposition on both sides is only an example, as applied to sports, of that inborn generosity and love of fair play, which come down to both nations alike from our ancestors. Englishmen wish to see Lord Dunraven bring the cup, but the last thing they would desire would be to see it gained by a technicality. This sentiment we are sure is fully understood and sympathized with by the Americans."

Interest Throughout Europe.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—A special to the Herald from Paris says:

Among the inquiries about the yacht race was one from the Prince of Wales at Homburg, to whom the news was telegraphed immediately; the Countess of Dunraven, who telegraphed from hte chateau where she is staying at Pal-leborg, DeDpartment of the Ure, and requested the earliest news; the Yacht Club D'Anvers and those interested in yachting in Spain, Switzerland, Germany, Poland and the departments of France.

IT IS DENIED.

Story That Lord Dunraven Has Offered Valkyrie Crew Pensions.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The Herald says: A newspapers printed an announcement that after a dinner on Monday night Lord Dunraven called the capthains and the crew of the Valkyrie together and told them that he would give each thirty shillings a week as long as they lived if the Valkyrie won the cup. A reporter paid a visit to the City of Bridgeport, on which Lord Dunraven and his friends were lodged. A gentleman, who said that he was authorized to speak for Lord Dunraven, was asked: "What truth is there in this story?"

"It is rot, positive rot," he said, emphatically.

In Dunraven's Own Country.

GLASGOW, Sept. 11.—A crowd of 20,000 people assembled outside the office of the Citizen watching bulletins of the yacht race; they went wild over the victory of Valkyrie III. Yachtsmen here thought she would do better on the triangular course than on the other. All express the hope that the race shall not be given to Defender on a foul, but that if anything is done the boats shall be made to sail the race over.

Montreal Went Wild.

MONTREAL, Sept. 11.—When the result of the yacht race was announced people here yelled themselves hoarse and the whole city went wild. There was a rush for Dunraven badges and union jacks were everywhere displayed.

BLAZING STREETS.

Uniontown, Ky., Visited by Devastating Flames.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

STURGIS, Ky., Sept. 11.—Last night at Uniontown fire destroyed Spaulding's grocery, the Union Hotel, Green's tailor shop, a butcher shop, dry goods store and two or three small buildings. The loss is estimated at between $9,000 and $10,000, with insurance of $5,000.

BARRISTERS IN BATTLE.

Mexican Lawyers Who Settle an Old Dispute on the Field of Honor.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 11.—Gov. Ahumada of Chihuahua, Mexico, who is in Juarez, across the river from El Paso, received information to-day that Senors Ochoa and Pesquera, two of the most prominent lawyers in Mexico, are to fight a duel next Thursday near the city of Chihuahua. The trouble between the two noted barristers grew out of a long and bitter lawsuit.

BLANCHE LAMONT'S MURDER.

Mrs. C. G. Noble an Important Witness Against Durrant.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 11.—The Durant case has come out of the field of mathematical calculations. Lines, angles and distances of Emanuel Church have been deeply impressed upon the minds and memories of the jury, and now the prosecution has plunged bodily into the body of its testimony.

Mrs. C. G. Noble, aunt of the murdered girl, was the most important witness today. Lines of sorrow were visible on her face as she sat in the witness chair. Mrs. Noble was very apparently affected, although she did not give way to her feelings.

Piece after piece of the clothing of the murdered girl Mrs. Noble identified—the outer garments, the hat, the gloves and the shoes, all found in the rafters of the church by the officers who had preceded her on the stand. She was positive as to two of the rings which the dead girl had worn on the morning that she last saw here alive and identified the third as precisely similar to another which had been worn on the finger of Blanche Lamont.

SHE WAS DEAD.

Dramatic Scene in a Jersey City Police Court.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—There was a dramatic scene in Police Justice Pott's court, Jersey City, yesterday when Hugo Bruggerman, a well-built man of 38 years, was arraigned on the charge of having abandoned his wife. He tried to convince the court that he had done all he could to support his wife, when Poormaster Hewitt, who had caused the arrest, created a sensation by saying:

"You have supported your wife nicely, haven't you? Do you know that your wife is now dead and in the Morgue, and your baby is almost dead from scarlet fever and starvation?"

Bruggerman became deathly white when he heard this terrible announcement and hung his head.

Poormaster Hewitt said the wife had died of consumption caused by her husband's failure to provide her with the necessaries of life. Bruggerman was held for hearing.

STOLEN JAIL.

Carried Away in the Night With Three Prisoners in It.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WINNAMAC, Ind., Sept. 11.—The Pulaski County Jail was stolen last night and no trace of it can be found. The old jail was torn down to make place for a new one. In the meantime a freight car on the Panhandle sidetrack was sheeted with iron, barred up and used as a temporary jail.

There were three prisoners in it; one a "weary waggles," arrested for chicken stealing, and two men indicted for assault. Some time last night a through freight train coupled on to the jail by mistake and carried it off. It is somewhere east of here, but no trace of it has been found.

SUNDAY IN NEW YORK.

No Liquor Must Be Sold in Club Rooms in Future.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The police order that the sale of liquors in clubs on Sundays must be stopped is making much comment. The police believe it will be obeyed without trouble by most clubs.

The police will, after Oct. 1, prohibit all street stands except for periodicals, newspapers, fruit and soda water. In addition Chief Conlin proposes to suppress street cries by regmen, peddlers, tinkers or licensed venders of any kind. There will be a legal fight over this.

Attempted an Assault.

Mrs. Jeremiah Smith, of 1966 Lucky street, was relieved of her purse, containing 20 cents, by two men on Page avenue between Jones and Sarpy streets at noon Tuesday. They also attempted to drag her into a lot, but she beat them with her fists and they fled.

TRIED TO SAVE HER PET DOG.

Little Emma Schoening Shot to Death by a Tough Boy.

WAS SHOOTING AT HER PET.

When Ed Foley and Other Boys Chased the Dog With a Pistol She Rushed to Rescue It and Was Shot.

Pretty little Emma Schoening, 13 years old, died at the City Hospital about 1 o'clock Wednesday morning from the result of a pistol shot fired by Ed Foley, about her own age. She was trying to save the life of a dog she loved when she received the pistol bullet in her stomach.

The Foley boy was attempting to kill the dog simply for sport. It all happened about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The shooting occurred in what is known in the neighborhood as Third street alley, which runs between Broadway and South Third and connects Convent and Rutger streets. The Schoening family live in one room of a small, soot-begrimed brick cottage in the rear of 1228 South Third. The alley is their thoroughfare. In another room of the cottage lives Mrs. Bauer, the owner of the dog "Nellie" that the little girl was trying to protect from the Foley boy when she was shot.

Emma had come home from the Madison school at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The school was dismissed soon after 1 o'clock because of the excessive heat. Her mother, who makes the family living by taking in washing, was bent over the tub scrubbing.

"Mamma," she said, her rosy cheeks a-gleam with the happiness of being able to relieve her mother in some measure from the moil of the daily tread, "I've got the house clean now and the children dressed up, and I'll hang out the clothes for you."

She was at this self-imposed task when the familiar yelp of "Nellie" scurrying down the alley with the Foley boy and several of the other incorrigibles of the neighborhood in pursuit, attracted her attention. Foley was flourishing a revolver and his companions were applauding his efforts to get a shot at the frightened dog. She dropped the bundle of half-dried clothes that she had in her arms and ran to open the gate of the alley to let the dog in he yard.

"Don't you dare shoot my dog, Ed Foley," came a command. The Foley boy stood about fifty feet off steadying his aim at the crouching dog now creeping toward Emma and away from danger. Undaunted by the sight of the pistol, which was pointed directly toward her, the little girl continued to command the boy not to shoot.

Once, twice, the weapon's explodion awoke the echoes of the alley and caused every old woman in the shacks that line the thoroughfare to drop her work.

Both shots went wide of the mark and only served to increase the fleeing dog's pace and to make Emma all the more determined to save its life. While waving

EMMA SCHOENING.
(Killed by Ed Foley.)

her dimpled hands deprecatingly and shaking her head imperiously at the boys, until her shock of white hair looked like a huge crysanthemum buffeted by a windstorm, a third shot rang out. Simultaneously with it she leaned forward as if to fall. Then summoning all her strength she recovered herself and made her way to the steps of her mother's room, a few feet away, where she dropped on her knees and cried pitifully from the pain of her wound.

Foley and his gang, realizing what they had done, scampered out of the alley and it wasn't until after the poor little girl had died at the City Hospital in terrible agony this morning that any effort was made to arrest him.

The father of the dead girl reported the case to the police as soon as he could reach a station from the hospital, and an officer went to the house of the Foleys at 4 o'clock this morning.

Last Sunday he bought the pistol, which is of 32-caliber, from Merritt McCann, the son of a dressmaker at 1217 South Third street, and who runs with him. The price paid was 35 cents. Mrs. McGann explains that she encouraged her boy to sell the pistol, because she was anxious for him to get rid of it. She says she doesn't know where her son got it, though he had had it several weeks.

Young Foley celebrated his purchase of the revolver last Sunday by shooting the glass out of the windows of a vacant shanty in the alley.

He was accompanied by four boys when he shot Emma Schoening, two of whom are known to be Charlie Ferrell and Jack Crawford, who belong to his "gang." All of the boys ran off immediately after the shooting except the Ferrell youngster, who, witnesses say, seemed very sorry that the catastrophe had occurred.

Mrs. Schoening, the distressed mother, is thoroughly heart-broken by the tragic taking off of little Emma. "Oh, how cruel it was," she said to a Post-Dispatch reporter wringing her hands, the tears coursing down her wrinkled, shrunken cheeks. "God knows, my life has been hard enough for the past year or two while my husband has been out of work most of the time, and Emma was my only help and solace. Now that she is gone from me I don't know what I'll do. How bright and pretty she was and how she did love to go to school. I had to keep her away from school most all of last year because I wasn't able to send her and had to keep her home to look after the babies while I washed. She was so anxious to catch up with her studies this year and talked about nothing else. Here's the slate that she brought home yesterday with her writing and arithmetic lessons on it. She told me that she had to learn all of that by heart before the next day, and she had cleaned up and filled the lamp so as to study it at night."

And the poor woman, giving way to another paroxysm of grief, pressed the slate close to her breast as a thing too sacred to get out of her keeping. "Oh, my God, if she had just been sick one day here at home so I could have waited on her and kissed her!" Mrs. Schoening sobbed, "but they took her away to that hospital, where I couldn't see her until she was breathing her last."

ED FOLEY.
(Who shot Emma Schoening.)

Repeated calls at the Foley house failed to find Mrs. Foley and the people in the neighborhood said she had gone up to annoy Mrs. Schoening again, as she did Tuesday soon after the shooting, when she visited the Schoenings while little Emma was lying on the bed bleeding from her wound and awaiting the arrival of the doctors, and, in the language of one of the witnesses, "read the riot act" to Mrs. Schoening for threatening to prosecute her boy Ed. When the doctors came they had to drive Mrs. Foley out of the room, so noisy was she becoming.

The boy told the following story of the shooting: "Yesterday afternoon as I was passing Emma Schoening's house I saw her standing at the gate with a dog in her arms. When I got about opposite her, the dog jumped out of her arms and tried to bite me in the leg. I pulled the pistol out of my pocket and shot at it. As soon as I fired Maggie put both hands to her stomach and ran screaming into the house. I got frightened, for I knew I must have shot her. I dropped the pistol on the sidewalk and ran home and told my father what had happened. He sent my mother to Maggie's house to se if she was hurt. When she came home she told my father I had shot Maggie. My father then made my mother give me a beating. The police came to my house about midnight and my father gave me to them and they brought me here."

IN EACH OTHER'S EMBRACE.

Dr. Rogers and His Youthful Bride Once More United.

Dr. H. M. Rogers, the gay old cavalier, whose marital woes the past few months have filled columns of the dailies and his 17-year-old wife, who was Isabella McMillan, are again united.

Tuesday morning Dr. Rogers received a letter from his young wife, who, while not confined a prisoner in her parents' house, was under strict surveillance, saying she still loved him, and if he cared to have her back she would meet him at 12 o'clock Wednesday night at the corner of Tower Grove and Vista avenues. Of course the doctor was on hand, and he and his bride, of whom he has seen so little since their elopement to Clayton two months ago, were again in each other's embrace.

When seen by a Post-Dispatch reporter at the doctor's residence, 1430A Old Manchester road, the countenances of both were radiant.

"Now," said the doctor, "really I don't care to make a statement of the affair. My wife and I have had too much notoriety already. All there is to it, she wrote me she wanted to come back and here she is. She has never ceased to love me since the day we were married and it has been only the undue influence of her parents and others that has kept us apart."

He turned to his young wife for an indorsement of his sentiments. She said: "I came back because I loved him and couldn't live away from him. I have made up my mind to live with him alone in future and won't be separated again. Age cuts no figure. I love him dearly"—this last very determinedly.

A call at the McMillan residence, 4319 Vista avenue, gleaned no additional information. A peevish voice from a basement window declared Mr. McMillan wasn't in and Mrs. McMillan had a headache and couldn't be seen.

LURED ALMOST TO DEATH.

Annie Ryan Falls From a Roof While Pursuing a Pet Canary.

Love for her pet canary bird has brought great misfortune to little Annie Ryan. She lies on her bed at her home, 1112 North Fourteenth street, with her poor, tender body all bruised and broken, while the bird is lost somewhere in the city's sea of roofs. It foolishly fluttered yesterday from its cosy wire home up onto house tops and the child, in trying to coax it back to its kindly prison, ventured too near the edge of the roof and fell headlong to the pavement below. Two of her ribs were broken and her condition is serious.

Annie Ryan is the 12-year-old daughter of James Ryan, a paper hanger. She is a bright child, more fond even than children usually are of pets. She had her cat and her dog, even a tame chicken, but she loved best of all the sweet-voiced yellow warbler in the bird cage.

TO KILL A PRINCE.

Plot Against Ferdinand of Bulgaria Discovered at Rustchuck.

BUCHAREST, Sept. 11.—A plot against the life of Prince Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, has been discovered at Rustchuck. Twenty persons have been arrested upon the charge of complicity in the conspiracy.

FIVE ARE DEAD, FOUR INJURED.

Two Trains Collide, Head On, on the Great Northern.

RUNNING AT HIGH SPEED.

Somebody Blundered and the Trains Met With Death and Destruction as the Result.

ST. CLOUD, Minn., Sept. 11.—Not since the terrible Nelson collison, three years ago, has the Great Northern experienced so dreadful a wreck as of this morning near Melby, a small flag station about midway between Ashby and Evansville. Somebody blundered and five are dead and four others injured as the horrible result. It was a head-end collision and occurred at 1:04 o'clock this morning. No. 2, the east-bound local passenger train, while running at a comparatively high rate of speed, met the coastbound train, in which the following were killed and wounded:

J. E. EMERSON, Engineer of No. 2.
JAMES THIBEDAU, fireman of No. 2.
IRA HINES, engineer of No. 3, and both baggagemen, one of whom is thought to be John H. Hawkins.

Five are injured, including three mail clerks, one baggageman and one passenger on No. 3.

As soon as the news reached here a wrecking crew left for the scene of the accident. A wrecker from Barnesville reached the scene just before the St. Cloud party. The point where the accident occurred is at the top of what is known as Pelican Hill. Originally the siding here was put in, that trains could be taken over the hill in sections, but of late years the grade has been so reduced that the practice has been abandoned.

Just how the wreck happened does not appear. It was on a heavy grade that the flyers met and how the death list is so small is miraculous, as both engines, mail and baggage cars are complete wrecks.

All the dead were residents of St. Paul. Mail Agent Flack said he did not see how the mail agents escaped death, as at the point where the accident took place it was always customary for an agent to sleep.

TO BE TAKEN TO THE EAST.

Body of the Late W. R. Palmer Goes Forward To-Night.

The body of W. R. Palmer, the traveling manager of the "Trilby" Company, who committed suicide Tuesday at the Southern Hotel, will be taken East for interment Wednesday evening. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Lynch's undertaking establishment on Olive street. The services were very simple. Members of the Trilby Company, Manager Short, of the Olympic, and A. M. Palmer, the dead man's brother, and his partner, Harry Jarrett, were the only one present.

The services consisted of the singing of "Nearer, My God, to Thee" by Mrs. Adele Loeis Baldwin, followed by a brief sermon by Dr. W. W. Boyd, pastor of the Second Baptist Church. Mrs. Baldwin then sang "O, Rest in the Lord," after which came the benediction.

The dead man has always been subject to fits of despondency. It is said that he attempted suicide on three times before. One instance is cited where W. H. Thompson, the acter, prevented him from killing himself by taking a revolver away from him.

AN ABSCONDER LOCATED.

R. C. Meade, Who Fled With Thousands Belonging to Kansas Widows.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ATCHISON, Kan., Sept. 11.—R. C. Meade, who absconded a few years ago with about $20,000 belonging to widows and others, has been located in New York and a telegram was sent ordering his arrest. Meade was a prominent church member. A big reward is offered for his arrest.

THE WEATHER.

Fair Wednesday Night and Fair and Cooler Thursday Hereabouts.

For St. Louis and vicinity—Fair Wednesday night; fair and cooler Thursday.

For Illinois—Fair to-night and Thursday, except probable showers in extreme northern portion Thursday. Slightly lower temperature Thursday.

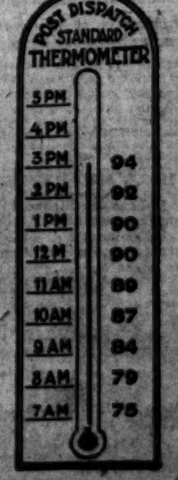
For Missouri—Generally fair to-night and Thursday; cooler Thursday.

The pressure is highest this morning in Kentucky and Tennessee and lowest in Eastern South Dakota.

There have been showers in the extreme Northwest and a few scattered ones in the East and South.

The temperatures have fallen slightly in the East, South and extreme Northwest and have varied irregularly elsewhere.

LOCAL READINGS.



ST. LOUIS POLO CLUB'S OPENING.

Its Handsome Home Near Clayton to Be a Center of Gayety.

PURELY A RICH MAN'S GAME.

Preparations for a Fete Whose Magnificence Has Never Been Equaled in the Gayety of the Mound City.

The second week in October the St. Louis Polo Club will formally open its new clubhouse at Clayton. It will be the most gorgeous fete ever given by the swell members of the sporting fraternity of the Mound City and will be attended by the creme de la creme of St. Louis society.

Polo is essentially a rich man's game, and the members of the St. Louis organization are scions of the wealthiest and most fashionable families of the city. When the new club house is thrown open there will be an outpouring of the ultra-fashionable beaux and belles such as has seldom been witnessed here.

The club was organized on Jan. 1 last. It was the outgrowth of the celebrated Country Club, which had its home at Bridgeton on the Wabash road, and, although a comparatively new organization, it already boasts of 80 members, comprising the swellest young men of St. Louis. Besides this, there are seventy names on the waiting list.

Its quarters are the finest of any polo club in the United States. The very top notch of perfection has been reached in every detail of the arrangement of both house and grounds, and its opening will be attended by a degree of splendor and ostentation such as has probably never before been attempted by any St. Louis club. Details of the reception and entertainment have not yet been given consideration, but ere the end of September the entertainment committee will have perfected its plans.

NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH.

A Texas Merchant Thrown From One Car Directly Before Another.

W. H. Harrison, a merchant of Waxahachie, Tex., had a narrow escape from being crushed to death by a Washington avenue electric car at 6:30 Tuesday evening. As it is he is a badly bruised man. He boarded a Forest Park bound car, No. 650, and asked the conductor if it would take him to Union Station. The conductor told him to get off and catch the next car, but did not attempt to stop the rapidly moving car.

Harrison spun around like a top, landing on his head just in front of a west-bound Compton Heights car. The car fenders just touched him. The accident took place in front of the Lindell Hotel, and several of the injured man's friends ran to his assistance. They carried him to the Barnum's Hotel, where he is stopping, and called in Dr. Levy. The man was in a semi-conscious condition and did not seem to realize what had happened. His face and clothing were covered with blood. He had no less than a half dozen bruises. His hands were badly lacerated, and his shoulders and back bruised. A gash three and one-half inches long on his head led to a rumor among his friends at the hotel that his skull had been fractured. But Dr. Levy denied this.

He could not tell just how badly Harrison was injured, he said, until sufficient time had elapsed to observe the result of the bruises on the back.

MYSTERY OF A CAB.

North Eleventh Street Rudely Aroused From Its Accustomed Quiet.

One of those old knights errant who used to go round the country looking for trouble of all sorts, but especially to aid beautiful females in distress could have found a good job on North Eleventh street Tuesday night. Some frightened woman needed a strong man's help, but the conditions were not such that she was able to get it; so there is a mystery up there. About 9 o'clock a hack came bowling south along Eleventh street and just between Monroe and Chambers streets the people who were seated along on their front steps heard a woman's voice cry: "Let me out!" "Let me out."

There seemed to be a struggle going on in the carriage and several men rushed out into the street to stop the team. The driver evidently had his instructions, for the moment he saw there was danger of interference he lashed his horses with his whip and away they went on a gallop. The excited and indignant men chased the vehicle yelling like mad until they were breathless, but no policeman came in sight and the carriage soon distanced them.

PEANUTS BY THE PECK

The Small Boy Can Buy Since the Disruption of the Trust.

A war to the knife is on between the heavy handlers of the festive peanut in all parts of the country. Up to a short time ago there existed in Virginia an organization known as the Virginia Peanut Association. It was made up of the principal handlers of Virginia and Tennessee peanuts. The association controlled the bulk of the output and dictated the price of peanuts in the markets.

On Sept. 1 one of the members, a heavy factor in the market, withdrew from the peanut association and began to make his own prices, and since then several other members have pulled out, totally disrupting the association.

Prices on hand-picked goods, the peanut that is in most general use, have been materially reduced by the trade, and jobbers, confectioners and other consumers of peanuts are buying heavily, as present prices are considered only temporary. The growing crop is said to be fully 10 per cent short of that of 1894, and that was considered a short crop.

ALLEGES MALFEASANCE.

Receiver Garesche of Reservoir Association After the Division Realty Co.

Alexander Garesche, Jr., receiver for the Reservoir Building and Loan Association, applied Tuesday to the Circuit Court for a receiver for the Division Realty Company. J. F. Klingsmith and others are named as defendants. Malfeasance of the officers and directors of the Reserveir Association is alleged as ground for the petition.

HALL AND HATCH.

A Joint Debate in Prospect Between the Congressman and the Colonel.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HANNIBAL, Mo., Sept. 11.—Arrangements have been made by the "Sound Money" Club of this city for a joint debate between Congressman U. S. Hall of the Second Missouri District and Col. W. H. Hatch of this city. The time has not yet been definitely fixed, but it will probably take place one day next week. Congressman Hall challenged Col. Hatch for the debate, and the latter promptly accepted.

The "Sound Money" Club has a large membership in Hannibal, but not as large as the "Free Silver" Club.

A Counterfeiter Caught.

SEYMOUR, Mo., Sept. 11.—W. A. Pruitt, the counterfeiter, was captured in the Ozark Mountains, eight miles southeast of here.

TRIED TO ESCAPE JAIL.

Claimed the Taylor Brothers Attempted to Bribe the Jail Watchman.

CARROLLTON, Mo., Sept. 11.—It is charged that William P. and George B. Taylor, the brothers convicted of murdering Gus Meeks and family near Browning, and sentenced to hang in November, have been plotting to escape from jail here. The claim is made that they cultivated the friendship of Night Watchman Brown of the Carrollton jail and then offered him a liberal sum of money to assist them in escaping.

Brown listened to their proposition, and then gave it in detail to Sheriff Stanley, who instructed him to encourage them and hear all their plans.

Brown met the Taylor brothers the next night and would fix it so that they could escape, but that as it would throw suspicion upon him and the condemned murderers to be seen conversing together it was a necessary precaution for all parties to conduct further negotiations in writing. They accepted the advice, and as the letters were received by Brown they were submitted by him to Sheriff Stanley, who, of course, knew what replies were sent to the Taylors.

After copying the letters Brown carried the originals back to the Taylors to be destroyed according to their arrangement.

In opening up the correspondence the Taylors agreed to give Night Watchman Brown $500 in cash.

A few weeks ago Deputy Sheriff Cummings heard and saw a man apparently trying to cut the screen at his window in the jail, but the man was scared off without getting in.

The next night a man was caught peeping in the back of the jail, and the third night the electric light wires were cut and the jail was left in darkness.

AFTER FIFTEEN YEARS.

A. O. U. W. Will Enforce Its Anti-Saloon Membership Law.

Steps are being taken by the Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., of Missouri to expel every saloon-keeper and bartender who has become a member of the order since 1880. During that year both the Supreme Lodge and the Grand Lodge of Missouri decided to bar all persons engaged in the saloon business from membership.

Not a few saloon men are said to have been in ignorance of the law and to have joined the order or to have since engaged in the business not knowing such a law had ever been enacted.

Grand Master Workman Miller stated to a Post-Dispatch reporter that no canvass is being made to locate saloon-keeping members, but admitted that there are several of them on the rolls, and that the subordinate lodges will be expected to drop them at once.

ACCUSED OF CONSPIRACY.

Predicament of Congressman McShane and F. H. Culver of Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Ex-Congressman John A. McShane of Omaha was arraigned here to-day charged with conspiring with F. H. Culver, a Chicago attorney, to defraud the real estate firm of Bartlett & Roach. The defendants asked for an immediate trial, but the case was continued until to-morrow. The real estate men charge that McShane and Culver deliberately conspired to swindle them out of $25,000, while the ex-Congressman declares that he is innocent and threatens to bring suit for damages for false imprisonment.

McShane and Culver were arrested on a warrant swore out by C. E. Bartlett, of the firm of Bartlett & Roach, real estate dealers at 80 Dearborn street. It is charged that the respondents conspired to defraud the real estate firm in the course of transfer of valuable property. James Atwood, a janitor, and R. J. Scannell, a partner of McShane in Omaha, it is said, will also be arrested.

According to the story of Bartlett and Roach, that firm was to exchange a flat building on the corner of State and Cloud Court for a number of vacant and unincumbered lots in Evanston, Evergreen and other suburbs. All the contracts, deeds and abstracts on both sides were fully prepared and placed in escrow. Messrs. Bartlett and Roach placed their papers in the hands of Peterson & Orr, real estate dealers, while Culver was custodian for McShane and Scannell. At the solicitation of Culver all the papers were then delivered to him in escrow.

According to Bartlett and Roach, Culver at once turned over to Scannell a portion of the deeds and the deed to the State street property to James Atwood, a relative of McShane, and janitor of the flats. On the same day Scannell executed mortgages on his portion to John McShane for a nominal consideration, and Atwood did the same. All the alleged conspirators disappeared, it is charged, about that time, and Bartlett and Roach learned that their property had changed hands and had been mortgaged, and they had received nothing in exchange.

Monday they learned that McShane was in the city and subsequently he was arrested at Gore's Hotel. Attorney Culver was apprehended at the same place. Mr. Heffernan, of Gore's Hotel, went on their bond in $1,000 each, and they were released. Mr. McShane delcares that he is the victim of a scheme, and threatens to bring suit for damages for false imprisonment.

"This is a blackmailing scheme," said John A. McShane in discussing his arrest. "I know nothing about this real estate transaction, and am in no way interested in what Mr. Scannell has done. It is true he is a secretary of the Columbia Investment Company, but that is a corporation, and his private deals do not affect the company.

"I am not interested in either the suburban or the State street property, and the records will show that to be true. I shall bring suit for damages for false arrest and perjury against the complainants. They will find I am a good man to strike to. I will be with them three or four years from now if necessary. I expect to be discharged when the case comes up. There is not a thing to hold me on, and the whole proceeding was an outrage."

NAKED AND BLEEDING.

An Unfortunate Woman Cast Out of an Elm Street Resort.

The sight of a young woman of about 20 years of age, clad only in nature's garb, rudely ejected into the street from the doorway of 610 Elm street, about 11:30 Tuesday night caused great consternation among the people of that locality. The woman was bleeding profusely from an ugly wound in her head. She staggered to the edge of the sidewalk in a dazed condition, with the blood streaming down her face and shoulders, and was just on the point of falling into the gutter, when men who happened to be passing, took her in charge. One of the men stripped off his coat and, throwing it around the woman, hurried her into the house at 618 Elm street.

There her wounds were dressed and she was furnished with clothing, after which she went to the Four Courts and told her story.

Her name is Dollie Self and she was formerly an inmate of Maggie Geekie's resort on Elm street. A week ago she went to live at Carrie Beasley's.

Last night as Dollie was walking along Elm street, she said, the Geekie woman and Annie Evans, one of her boarders, assaulted her. The Evans woman, she said, beat her over the head with a revolver. They then dragged her into the house and wound up by tearing every stitch of clothing from her body. Then they threw her into the street.

Upon hearing her story the police raided the Geekie woman's house and gathered in all the inmates. The landlady was not to be found, but she will be arrested later.

In the First District Police Court the cases of the women were continued until Sept. 18.

Accused of Extortion.

SEDALIA, Mo., Sept. 11.—Fred Walters of the American Detective Agency at Indianapolis is under arrest. He is charged with impersonating a United States officer and thereby trying to extort new from a settler named Dodson at Clinton, Mo. The prisoner claims his demand was just.

THE JUDGMENT USED IN BUYING AND THE WAY-DOWN PRICES PUT ON THE MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF FALL GOODS AT

CRAWFORD'S

MAKE THE GREAT BROADWAY BAZAAR THE POPULAR CASH-BUYING CENTER OF THE TOWN.

CRAWFORD'S Colored Dress Goods DEPARTMENT

Is replete with new styles, fresh weaves and desirable bargains. Daily additions to an already immense stock.

At 25c—Especial attention is called to Crawford's 36-inch All-wool French Surah Serges, extra good value, the regular price of which is 35c, in a full line of new fall shades.

At 39c—38-inch new Scotch Cheviot Mixtures; all wool, latest rough effects; worth 50c.

At 50c—48-inch genuine French Broadcloth, twill back, full line of new colors; best value ever offered; regular value 85c.

At 65c—50-inch imported English Storm Serges, in navy blue only; new, rough finish; splendid value; would be cheap at 85c.

At 85c—48-inch French Velour Plisse, the latest novelty in dress goods, 25 shades to select from; actually worth $1.25.

At 95c—54-inch Novelty Boucle Suiting, silk and wool, rough effects, in mixed colorings, very rich and stylish; brought out to retail at $1.25.

Ladies' Suits.

Ladies' Skirts, in all-wool serge, very full and stylish, for $4.50; in mohair for $2.95.

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, in blue, brown or black cloth, for $5.75.

Handsome Suits, in latest fall shades, for $10.75.

Flannelette Tea Gowns at 95c.

Silks.

Popular weaves at popular prices from the most popular Silk Department in the city.

Changeable Brocaded Satins, suitable for fall waists, would be good value for 60c; Crawford's price, 37½c per yard.

New Fall Changeable Taffetas, extra quality; really worth 90c a yard, at 75c.

Crawford's own importation of Satin-striped Taffeta, in all shades, at 87½c per yard.

22-inch Black Brocaded Gros-Grain Silk for capes and skirts; regular $1.40 quality, at 97½c per yard.

24-inch Black Satin, all silk, never sold under $1.40, at Crawford's this week for 97½c per yard.

22-inch All-silk Cashmere Sublime, will not shine with wear, and very serviceable; would be cheap at $1.45; this week at Crawford's, $1.00 per yard.

Infants' Wear.

Infants' fine Cambric Slips, neck and sleeves trimmed with embroidery, 35c, or 3 for $1.00.

Infants' fine Cambric Skirts, trimmed with ruffle of embroidery and fine tucks, 59c, well worth 75c.

Infants' Flannelette Skirts, full length and width, 25c each.

Infants' Embroidered Flannel Shawl, full size, 49c.

Flannels.

36-inch wide White Flannel, regular 50c grade, this week 35c.

60 dozen Skirt Patterns, would be cheap at 75c; Crawford's price only 50c.

CRAWFORD'S Millinery Dep't is in daily receipt of all the New Styles in Ladies' and Children's Fall Confections. Tam O'Shanters and Bicycle Caps in all shapes and colors, and the prevailing prices on all lines of Millinery lower than elsewhere.

Fur Capes and Wraps

in all the late fall shapes and styles now on exhibit at Crawford's. Prices extremely low.

Domestics.

Crawford's are selling Hemstitched Sheets and Pillow Cases at 25 per cent less than cost of material. Note prices on the following lines:

2000 dozen 45x36 Hemstitched Pillow Cases at 15c each.

1000 dozen 50x36 Hemstitched Pillow Cases at 17½c each.

1000 dozen 54x36 Hemstitched Pillow Cases at 18½c each.

1000 dozen 42x72 Hemstitched Bolster Cases at 35c each.

200 dozen 8-4, or 72x90, Hemstitched Sheets at 55c each.

250 dozen 9-4, or 81x90, Hemstitched Sheets at 58c each.

500 dozen 10-4, or 90x90, Hemstitched Sheets at 63c each.

250 dozen extra long, 90x99, Hemstitched Sheets at 75c each.

Upholstery Dept.

800 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long and extra wide, at $1.15 per pair.

285 pairs fine Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, 60 inches wide, $2.25 quality, at $1.50 per pair.

2000 large size Moquette and Tapestry Hassocks, at 40c and 45c each; a special drive and worth 75c.

10,000 yards Satsuma Drapery, all choicest styles, at 10c per yard, regular price 20c.

Druggists' Sundries.

2-quart Fountain Syringes, 6 pipes, best quality rubber, $1.25; usual price, $2.00.

One-half pint bottles high grade Bay Rum, 6c; usual price, 15c.

Woodbury's Facial Soap, 19c a cake.

"Cactus" and Buttermilk Soap, 7½c a box, usual price, 15c.

Coco Bali, 10c a cake.

Our own Extracts, all odors, 5c an ounce; bring bottle.

House-Furnishings.

Large, Round Willow Clothes Hampers, 79c; were $1.00.

Japanned Dust Pans, 4c; were 10c.

Fancy Decorated Tea Sets, consisting of 56 pieces, $3.39; were $4.50.

Stamped Retinned Sauce Pans and Preserving Kettles, 5½ quarts, 10c; were 20c.

Mason's Fruit Jars, quarts, 45c a dozen. were 60c.

Fancy Decorated Cuspidors, 10c; were 20c.

White Enameled Easels, 5 foot, 39c; were 75c.

Crystal Table Tumblers, 2c; were 5c.

Handkerchiefs.

An extraordinary sale of Ladies' and Men's Handkerchiefs from the assignee's sale of a large Belfast manufacturer.

Lot 1—100 dozen Ladies' White all pure linen Hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs, with beautiful scalloped edges and revering; they are seconds, and are worth in the regular way 35c, 50c and 65c each; put up and sold in bunches of half a dozen at $1.10 a bunch.

Lot 2—250 dozen Ladies' good quality white hemstitched drawn and revered Union Lawn Handkerchiefs, real value 10c each; in this sale at 5c each.

Lot 3—150 dozen Ladies' white embroidered and scallop edge fine Swiss Handkerchiefs, beautiful designs, imported to sell at 25c each; your choice of the lot at 15c each.

Lot 4—75 dozen Men's plain white hemmed All-linen Handkerchiefs, cord and tape borders, worth 15c each; your choice of this lot, 8c each, or 95c dozen.

Lot 5—115 dozen Men's white hemmed heavy All-linen Handkerchiefs, cord and tape borders, slightly imperfect; also 84 dozen Men's fine printed and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth from 17½c to 20c each; this lot 10c each.

Lot 6—300 dozen Ladies' White Embroidered Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, revered, drawn, lace edge, blocked and plaited, sold in the regular way at 15c and 20c; your pick for 9c each, or $1.05 per dozen.

Linens.

50 pieces 60-inch Bleached Table Damask, 55c quality, at 40c a yard.

A big bargain in 63-inch Cream Table Damask at 39c a yard.

1 case full size Crochet Spreads, Marseilles patterns, hemmed, at $1.15, really worth $1.50.

75 dozen Bath Towels, 28x54, at 20c apiece.

100 dozen All-linen Huck Towels, 22x40, at 15c; 20c quality.

1 case All-linen Crash, 20 inches wide, blue and red borders, at 8 1-3c a yard.

Corsets.

Immense bargains in long-waisted black Sateen Corsets, all sizes; regular $1 value for 69c.

J. B. Corsets, in white and drab coutil, all sizes; a 75c corset for 55c.

6-hook W. B. Corsets, very long waist, perfect shape, all sizes, 75c.

Kid Gloves.

To inaugurate the fall season we will offer three special lots at prices less than the cost of raw material.

Lot No. 1—Consisting of 100 dozen Ladies' Fine Quality 4-button real Kid Gloves, the samples of a large French importer, in all new and desirable colors, and just a few blacks. The retail prices of these gloves are $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00; your choice of the entire lot (none reserved), 90c pair.

Lot No. 2—50 dozen Misses' 4-Button Colored Kid Gloves, all perfect and desirable. You usually pay $1 for this quality; they will not last long at 50c a pair.

Lot No. 3—Consists of Ladies' 8, 12 and 16-button lengths, cream white suede (undressed kid) Mousquetaires; prices while they last, $1.00 for 8-button length, $1.50 for 12-button length, and $2.00 for 16-button length.

Men's Furnishings.

Special Drives in New Fall Goods.

Men's heavy Jersey Ribbed Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, 50c each.

Men's heavy natural gray and camel's hair Shirts and Drawers, extra well made, all sizes, 50c each.

Men's heavy All-wool Sweaters, in blue and black, all sizes at $1.50; regular $2 quality.

Men's dark colored Cheviot and Flannelette Shirts, extra well made, full 36 inches long, all sizes, for 50c each.

Men's fine full regular made Merino Half Hose, in gray, brown and tan, and usually sold at 30c, for 19c a pair.

Men's fine full regular made Cashmere Wool Half Hose, double heels and toes, in brown, gray and tan, at 25c a pair.

Boys' Unlaundered Mothers' Friend Waists, in light percales, dark and China blue Penangs, all new designs for school wear, 50c apiece.

D. Crawford & Co.

Crawford's New Fall Catalogue Mailed Free Outside the City Upon Application.

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BARNES COLLEGE.

Handsome Structure to Be Erected at Once for the School.

St. Louis is to have another new medical college building. Six months ago negotiations were begun for a new and costly home for the Barnes Medical College. A little later it was reported that the deal had fallen through. Since then capitalists interested in the welfare of the institution have planned for a new $150,000 college building and Architect J. B. Legg has received orders to sub-let contracts for the erection of the proposed new building this week.

Mr. Legg has planned, among others, the Marvin Collegiate Institute at Fredericktown, Mo., the present Barnes College building at Twenty-seventh and Chestnut streets, and the Marion-Simms Medical College on Grand avenue.

It is expected to complete the building by Jan. 1.

MANY PASTORS AMONG THEM.

Illinois Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Sept. 11.—The Illinois annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened in annual session in this city this morning with Bishop I. W. Joyce, D. D., of Chattanooga in the chair. There is in attendance about 300 ministers and many have their wives with them, making an imposing array. The first number on the programme this morning was the sacrament of the Lord's supper, participated in by the members of the conference, after which routine work followed. The sessions will continue a week and will be attended with much interest.

HORRIBLY MANGLED.

The Fatal Accident Caused by a Caving Wall at St. Joseph.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 11.—J. E. Smith, aged 22, a brickyard employe, was killed this morning by the caving of a wall of earth. The body was horribly mangled.

Missouri I. O. O. F. Delegates.

The Missouri delegation to the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., which meets at Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 16, consists of Col. T. T. Parson, E. M. Sloan, M. F. Doud, editor of the Odd Fellows' "Souvenir," Charles A. Vogel and Charles A. Bircher of this city, J. N. Munsell of Cameron, J. R. Jewell of Springfield, E. M. Dilly of Hamilton and R. M. Abercrombie of St. Joseph. Messrs. Parson and Abercrombie will represent the lodges of the jurisdiction and Messrs. Munsell and Dilly the encampment branch. Mr. Abercrombie has already gone East and the others will leave shortly. The Arkansas delegation will pass through St. Louis.

Old Officials Re-Elected.

PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 11.—The annual meeting of the Toledo, Peoria & Western Railway Co. was held this morning, 85,000 shares being represented out of a total of 90,000. The old board of directors and old officers were re-elected. Earnings for the year ending June 30, 1895, were reported as $661,287, against $615,763 for the preceding year. Net earnings increased $36,561. Expenses decreased $11,963. For the year, ending June 30, 1895, against $730,851 for the preceding year.

USED INFERIOR MATERIAL.

Easton Avenue Tax-Payers in Arms Over Street Construction.

The taxpayers on Easton avenue are on the warpath on account of the inferior material used in the construction of their street between King's highway and Burd avenue. Especially do they find fault with the curbstone set in this street. They claim that while the city specifications call for the best dark blue oolitic limestone the contractors have furnished the cheapest and most inferior kind of stone on the market.

Mr. James Conrad has been employed by the taxpayers concerned to investigate the matter, and claims to have made some important discoveries. "I have, also," said Mr. Conrad, "investigated work done on other streets and found inferior curbing used in McPherson avenue, between Lindell and Vandeventer; St. Vincent avenue, between Louisiana and Teresa, and also between Ohio and California avenues, and Wyoming street, between Lemp and Wisconsin avenues.

"Another thing that I noticed while out on the tour of inspection was the large amount of cracked granitoid sidewalks. Fully 50 per cent of these walks are cracked and broken, after having been laid only a short time. Why do our public officials whose duty it is to see that work done according to city specifications, permit this kind of work to go on, when they are supposed to be there in the interest of the people who pay for the work? I have read the city specifications and found them to be correct and all that is to be desired, and it must surely be neglect of duty or inability of the official who permits such poor work to be done."

THREE BOLD BANDITS.

Unsuccessful Attempt to Rob a Train on the Illinois Central Road.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

KINMUNDY, Ill., Sept. 11.—Train robbers made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the north-bound Illinois Central express train about two miles north of this city last night. The bandits were three in number and were riding on the platform of the express car and were evidently green hands at the business.

They cut the bell cord and then assaulted the door with a sledge hammer. Hearing the noise the messenger applied the air brake and brought the train to a stop. This frightened the robbers, who jumped off and made for a neighboring cornfield.

Several shots were fired at them by the train crew, without apparent effect. Illinois Central detectives are on the ground, but as yet no clew to the robbers' identity has been obtained.

PENNSYLVANIA DEMOCRATS.

Convention to Select Candidates for Treasurer and Judges.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Sept. 11.—The Democratic State Convention to select candidates for State Treasurer and the six Superior Court Judgeships met in the Lycoming Opera House to-day. The unusual conditions surrounding the contest for judicial places on the ticket made the convention more than ordinarily interesting. The convention was called to order at 11:15 by State Chairman Wright, and the proceedings began with the reading of the call for the meeting. Hon. Timothy Ryan, General Strahahan of Norristown was chosen temporary chairman. Mr. Strahahan, in taking the chair, congratulated the convention upon the large attendance of delegates and spectators from all over the State, and the intelligence and enthusiasm of the gathering as well as the good feeling manifested.

After the appointment of committees on Resolutions, Credentials and Permanent Organization, the convention at 12:10 took recess till 1:30.

TRAMPLED "GARDEN SASS,"

And Then the Phoenix Club Sassed the Protesting Gardeners.

Prosecuting Attorney Theodore C. Bruere of St. Charles is "hot" after the members of the Phoenix Musical and Fishing Club of St. Louis, who went to Dresser Island, Sunday, Sept. 1, damaging crops and killing chickens of farmers in the neighborhood.

WILL REORGANIZE.

Employes of the Samuel C. Davis Co. to Carry On the Business.

Steps have been taken by the employes of Samuel C. Davis & Co., the wholesale dry goods firm, which will retire from business Jan. 1, to organize a stock company and take the business. The movement may more properly be spoken of as a reorganization, as Messrs. John and Samuel C. Davis will likely put considerable money into it.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

Stephen Flynn Horribly Mangled at the Ewing Avenue Crossing.

Stephen Flynn, 45 years old, was struck by an Oak Hill train at the Ewing avenue crossing at 1 o'clock Wednesday. He will die.

NO HELP GIVEN BURR.

His Friends Make a Fruitless Appeal to the Authorities.

A telegram from Washington, D. C., received Wednesday states that the friends of William E. Burr, Jr., failed in their attempt to have the high officials of the Government quash the proceedings against him for the alleged embezzlement of $30,000 from the St. Louis National Bank of which he was cashier. They based their appeal for clemency on the ground that he has been harassed by delays and reinstatements. He will have to stand trial here in November.

St. Louis Club Yacht Regatta.

For the regatta at Alton Saturday, Sept. 14, the Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets including steamer ride to the course for $1. Special train leaves Union Station at 12:05 p. m., Washington avenue 12:13 p. m., returning after regatta. Tickets on sale at southwest corner Broadway and Olive street.

Feast of St. Francis of Assi.

The feast of St. Francis of Assi will be celebrated Friday, October 4, with much solemnity at the church of that name. At the early masses members of the Third Order of St. Francis, composed of laymen from all the parishes in town, will approach Holy Communion, for which a plenary indulgence is granted on the feast day. Following the sermon and benediction service a large number of new members will be enrolled in the order.

Cincinnati, $6.00 Round Trip.

Via Vandalia Line, Saturday, Sept. 14. Returning Monday, Sept. 16. Ticket offices, 100 North Fourth street and Union Station, St. Louis.

If you know anyone that buys Misses' Shoes, sizes 1 to 1½ and 2, A, B and C widths, tell them to be sure to read Boehmer's advertisement in to-morrow's Post-Dispatch.

ACTOR HANLEY'S REAL DRAMA

His Young Wife Deserted Him at Cincinnati.

Lawrence Hanley, who is this week playing with his company at the Grand Opera House, has instituted divorce proceedings against his wife. Upon what he will base his petition is not known. He refuses to divulge any information on this point. He talks freely enough about his matrimonial troubles in one way, liberally curses certain unknown individuals for having stolen her from him, but keeps quiet on the main point.

Although his wife is billed under the stage name of Edith Lemmert, as the leading woman of Hanley's company, she has not appeared in St. Louis during this engagement. She played at Cincinnati, but when the train pulled out of that city last Sunday morning for St. Louis it was found that she was not aboard. No one save the husband knew of this turn, and there was temporarily great excitement.

Hanley says he has always treated his wife well. The only time he ever laid hands on her was once when he stayed out until 3 a. m. and she reproved him. He says he then turned her across his knee and spanked her as he would a baby.

ON EMPTY STOMACHS

St. James Hotel Cooks and Waiters Refuse to Serve Food to Others.

Do we eat?

Fifty angry guests hurled the question at Clerk Quinn at the St. James Hotel Tuesday. Manager Miller appeared on the scene.

"The management is not to blame. It's all the fault of the cooks. They struck," he remarked blandly.

Mr. Miller managed to get food enough for those who did not care to dine out from neighboring restaurants.

As long as there are other ways to appease the guests' appetites, Mr. Miller says, there is little chance of the strikers winning.

PASTEURISED MILK.

Simple Method for Keeping the Fluid Absolutely Sweet and Wholesome.

Dr. Howard Carter, Milk Inspector, has been over to Okawville, Ill., to inspect the workings of a "Pasteurizing" plant at a dairy there. He returned delighted with what he saw. In this simple process lies the solution of obtaining milk absolutely free from disease germs, so Dr. Carter thinks. Another thing is that after being Pasteurized, milk will remain sweet for several days in the hottest weather, and if is supposed it will keep indefinitely if kept hermetically sealed.

The beauty of the process is its simplicity. Any housekeeper can do it without apparatus other than any house affords. It consists of heating the milk to a temperature of 155 degrees Fahrenheit, then cooling it rapidly by packing ice around the vessel. This must be done three times to insure the destruction of all bacteria and germs.

Take Off Your

FAT!

What Dr. Edison's Obesity Pills and Obesity Fruit Salt Are Doing for Others They Will Do for You—Read Below.

Miss Noland Morgan, Washington boulevard, says: "In 4½ weeks Dr. Edison's Obesity Pills and Salt brought me down 45 pounds and made me well."

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Mrs. Belle Hemrick Ridgeway, the Ridgeway apartment house, says: "Five weeks' use of Dr. Edison's Obesity Pills and Salt reduced me 15 pounds and cleared my complexion."

Miss Rush, daughter of the late Prof. Rush, writes to Loring & Co.: "You may say that Dr. Edison's treatment reduced me 22 pounds in 4 weeks."

Capt. Siren writes from the Planters' Hotel: "In six weeks Dr. Edison's Obesity Band reduced my abdominal measurement 11 inches and cured me of dyspepsia."

Sold for "How to Cure Obesity," 16 columns, by distinguished authors; illustrated; 200 testimonials.

No other medicine required with Obesity Pills and Salt. They make and keep you well.

OBESITY SALT, $1.00 PER BOTTLE.

Pills, $1.50 a bottle; three bottles, $4.00. Enough for one treatment. Bands, $2.50 and up.

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MEYER BROS. DRUG CO.

LORING & CO., General Agents.

Chicago Department 21, No. 115 State st. New York, Department 21, No. 49 W. 23d st.

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DEATHS.

KAUFMAN—Members of the United Hebrew Congregations are notified to attend the funeral of Mrs. Pauline Kaufman, on Thursday, 12th inst., at 10 o'clock a. m., from residence of Mr. M. J. Cohen, 3656 Lucas avenue.

By order of the President.

SIMON HOKE, Secretary.

BARTORE—On Tuesday, Sept. 10, 1895, at 9:30 p. m., Elisha Bartore, son Palmer, mother of Joshua Gaines and Mrs. Louisa Gaines, aged 68 years.

The funeral will take place Thursday, 12th inst., at 9 a. m., from residence of A. Schaff, 3017 N. Grand avenue, to St. Charles's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery, friends are invited to attend.

TRAMP, TRAMP OF THE VETERANS.

Once More the Soldiers of the 60's March Beneath the Flag.

MANY OLD AND FEEBLE NOW

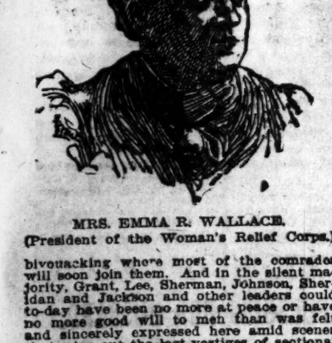
But Thousands Filled the Line at Louisville and Were Cheered by Men Who Wore the Gray.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 11.—After all the demonstrations of the week, the parade to-day was the event of the twenty-ninth annual encampment of the G. A. R., as it has been of all former encampments. The air was full of patriotic music, and the streets were carnivals of richness in designs and profusion of the red, white and blue. Along miles of bunting and amid hundreds of thousands of cheering citizens, the comrades once more marched on Southern soil. No contrast could be greater than that of the reception of the gateway of the South to-day to the opposition at its portals, thirty-four years ago. Only one thing could have added to the impressive grandeur of the demonstration, and that is the electrical display. The pictures of red, white and blue electric lights, across all prominent streets, intersections and on many buildings that have been admired every night so much by the visitors could not contribute to the glory of the day.

But the veterans themselves were the most interesting feature in the parade, although everything that money or ingenuity could command in the way of warlike de-

MRS. N. E GUNLOCK.
(President of "The Ladies of the G. A. R.)

signs were added to the procession. The veterans had spent two days and nights in camp fires and reunions, in hunting up bunk-mates and comrades, and in talking over old experiences in the service, but they say they never feel "like old times" till they get in line. And they formed a long strong line of "Yankees" in marching through Kentucky to-day while thousands of "Johnnies" grew hoarse in cheering them along the line. And the ladies of Louisville and from all parts of the South in brilliant dress joined in the great chorus of cheers as heartily as they were intense in bitterness along the marches in the days of strife. The veterans showed the weight of years and the effects of service while marching to-day. It was the general remark that there were never so many old, lame and feeble men in line, but they proudly kept step and "Tramped, tramped, tramped" just as if they were boys still "marching through Georgia." They seemed to feel sad that they were under new commanders, but also to rejoice that they had survived to see this new era. None of the old Union generals around whom they gathered so fondly at former encampments and whom they cheered so lustily in former parades were here. Their portraits were seen along the line of march but they are



MRS. EMMA R. WALLACE.
(President of the Woman's Relief Corps.)

bivouacking where most of the comrades will soon join them. And in the silent majority, Grant, Lee, Sherman, Johnson, Sheridan and Jackson and other leaders could to-day have been no more at peace or have no more good will to men than was felt and sincerely expressed here amid scenes that wipe out the last vestiges of sectional feeling.

At sunrise the only clouds were from the salute of forty guns, and the weather even was for peace. The departments began forming at an early hour under the special orders to have the procession move promptly at 10:30 a. m.

At 9:30 another salute was fired for the first grand division to form. At 10 o'clock the guns indicated that the escort was moving to the head of the column and at 10:30 the salute signalled all the ten grand divisions to move. Under a proclamation of the Mayor, the streets where the divisions formed and the entire line of march were cleared of everything, while the Louisville Legion, the cadets and Kentucky National Guard, patrolled the streets, and there was no delay. Mounted police first cleared the way, followed by a large deatchment. The parade was headed some distance in front of the first grand division by two distinguished ex-Confederates on horseback, Capt. John H. Weller and Capt. Wm. H. Harrison. They did not wear the gray, but were dressed in black Prince Alberts, with silk hats and red, white and blue sashes, the same as members of the Citizens' Committee. They also wore red, white and blue scarfs and rosettes. Capt. Weller carried a very large flag and the stars and stripes were proudly borne about him. Capt. Harrison carried a very large white banner of peace, mounted on a staff like the stars and stripes, carried by his Confederate comrade. The two flags were alike in every respect, except in the color, one being pure white. In place of the eagle on the top of the staff, the white banner had a dove carrying an olive twig, designating peace and good will to men. The conception of these two ex-Confederates at the head of the great procession of ex-Federal soldiers, with their respective flags, was that of Col. Cohn, Chairman of the Committee on Parade and Review.

Following these new participants who were the striking features of the parade, the divisions lined up as follows:

Drum Corps Louisville Legion,
Grand Army Band of Canton, O.,
Col. Henry S. Cohn, Chairman Committee on Parade and Review;
Thomas Satterwhite, Jr., and Capt. C. E. Hordestron, Adjutants;
Special citizens (red sash),
Citizens' Committee on Parade and Review, 100 members (white sashes for leaders of platoons, blue for rank and file);
Carriage No. 1—The Governor of Kentucky and Staff,
Carriage No. 2—The Mayors of Louisville, New Albany and Jeffersonville and Col. Thomas H. Sherley, President Citizens' Committee, the Board of Managers and invited Chicago Military Band.
Columbia Post of Chicago as Grand Army Escort to Commander-in-Chief;
Commander-in-Chief Gen. Thomas G. Lawler and Staff;
Members of the Council of Administration,
Aide-de-Camp to Commander-in-Chief;
First Grand Division, red flag—Illinois, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania;
Second Grand Division, white flag—Ohio, New York;
Third Grand Division, blue flag—Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Maine, California, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Vermont, Potomac, Virginia, and North Carolina;
Fourth Grand Division, light red flag—Maryland, Nebraska, Michigan, Iowa and Indiana;
Fifth Grand Division, yellow flag—Colorado, Kansas, Delaware, Minnesota, Missouri and Oregon;
Sixth Grand Division, light green flag—West Virginia, South Dakota, Washington and Alaska.
Seventh Grand Division, orange flag—Arkansas, New Mexico, Utah and Tennessee.
Eighth Grand Division, purple flag—Louisiana, Mississippi, Florida, Montana, Texas and Idaho.
Ninth Grand Division, dark green flag—Arizona, Georgia, North Dakota, Oklahoma and Indian Territory.
Tenth Grand Division, light blue flag—Kentucky and Battle Flags of Kentucky Regiments and charge of Guard Honor.

Among the features of the parade was Old Ned, the war horse, over 40 years old, that has heretofore tramped with the boys along the line of march. Old Ned is now so feeble that he to-day rode on a float.

The New Hampshire department carried a large eagle. The Ohio boys all wore buckeyes, the Kentuckians had corn and crackers and others bore the emblems of their States.

ST. LOUIS AND MISSOURI.

Ransom Post and Its Band a Feature of the Encampment.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 11.—The Department of the Missouri, G. A. R. veterans, arrived over the Air Line yesterday afternoon in a special train of thirteen coaches. Frank P. Blair Post, No. 1, the oldest and largest post in the department, acted as escort to Department Commander Louis Benecke. The Missouri Military Band headed the march from the station to the Louisville Hotel, where department headquarters were established. The total delegation in attendance on the encampment from Missouri is estimated at 1,200.

Ransom Post, of St. Louis, headed by its band, set out early yesterday morning to serenade the various G. A. R. headquarters and the newspaper offices. Open house was kept at the Willard Hotel and in the evening a concert was given in the reviewing stand in front of the hotel by Ransom Post's band. The post attended the performance of Shenandoah at the Grand Opera House and its band played between the acts. It is believed Ransom Post favors St. Paul as the place for holding the next encampment.

FOUR THOUSAND FELL

Pitiable Situation of the Survivors of the Massacre.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The pitiable condition of the survivors of the Armenian massacre and the alleged efforts of the Turkish authorities to retard the work of relief are described in a communication just received from an American gentleman now at the scene of the Sassoun massacre. The letter is dated Aug. 1 and, after referring to the distribution of relief funds, which has been entrusted to American missionaries, says in part:

The missionaries are now here, but the opposition of the Turkish Government is so great that they can make but little progress. The people are completely prostrated. Two villages, samples of the thirty-two destroyed, are now marked by crumbling walls, the roofs so completely destroyed by the incendiary soldiers that not a chip remains to show they ever had roofs. The survivors of the massacre are scattered about among the villages of the surrounding region, and suported by those scarcely better off than themselves. Two months ago, most of the survivors were induced to return to their old homes, sow their fields with a kind of millet that matures in a few weeks and seek to establish themselves before the winter. Many have only a few boughs to cover a corner of their former homes and furnishings are bare; a little hay to sleep on, with possibly some filthy rags to throw over them, in place of abundant carpets. Hardly a child has more than a remnant of a tattered skirt to cover him, and many of the adults are not many degrees better off. Food is very scanty, working tools are lacking. In short, they are utterly prostrate and must be put on their own feet by support of those who are better off, supplying them with everything until they can begin the upward road towards the old prosperity.

There are already more than 5,000 people to be thus cared for. England has already sent £1,000, and the Armenians themselves have raised two or three times this amount, but it will all be sufficient to do the work only very imperfectly. Still, with sure prospects of reform and present protection they would go at the great task before them with cheerfulness and hope. But, alas, these conditions do not yet obtain, nor do we know that they will.

The English Ambassador obtained a promise that all assistance should be afforded to the distribution of the English funds, and the American missionaries were requested to come and superintend, but the three weeks they have spent on the ground have seen almost nothing accomplished, because the Government has thrown obstacle after obstacle in the way.

The first estimates of the slain were exaggerated, as no one could get into the region and the survivors were scattered in different directions. Probably not more than 4,000 really fell at the time; the others died of want; but the tales of beastly lust and fiendish outrage that come to our ears exceed all we had dreamed of and can never be allowed to soil the page of the clean historian.

GOING TO CUBA.

Artillery, Cavalry and Infantry Recruited at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 11.—A local paper says: Out in Englewood is forming a troop of cavalry which, as soon as it has been joined by two batteries and a regiment of foot, is to proceed to Cuba under the command of L. G. Andrews and there join the insurgents. Mr. Andrews, who is recruiting the cavalrymen, says that he has 400 Chicago men who are pledged to go to Cuba and that $75,000 has been subscribed by three wealthy residents of this city for the fitting out of the expedition, the payment of the recruits and the landing of them in the struggling islands. Three men, Mr. Andrews says, have been in communication with wealthy Cuban patriots who have agreed, in payment for the aid furnished, to deed valuable lands to the Chicagoans who extend the aid.

According to Mr. Andrews, the men will be drilled when they reach the South. The batteries and the infantry, he says, will be recruited in Kansas City, Mo.

Another Ship for the Insurgents.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The World says: Another vessel required for service in Cuba against the insurgents will be bought in New York, making the fifth that the Spanish Consul General Arture Baldesanny Topete has purchased here. Money to be expended on this ship has been donated by Senor Antino Juese Menendes, a wealthy merchant of Havana. He follows the example of Senor Herrera, and several other Spaniards. Speaking of the purchase of these boats in this country by the Spanish Government, President Palma said that the Cuban Junta regrets that the conditions do not permit them to enjoy the same advantages in this country as Spain.

"It is true," he declared, "that we can buy anything we want here, but the difficulty comes in shipping to Cuba. Spain can not only buy what she wants, but can send to Cuba whatever she pleases. If we were recognized as belligerents we would be allowed to do the same thing."

MORE WIVES THAN HE OUGHT TO HAVE.

Robert Lee in Trouble for Marrying Too Many Women.

TWO WIVES IN ONE TOWN.

One He Married Twenty Years Ago, the Other Nine Years Later, and He Divided His Time With Both.

Robert Lee, 2734 Manchester road, does not look like a man who has led a double life for the past eleven years. His face is jolly and open and he meets the glance of friend and stranger alike with an ingenuous smile. Perhaps it is this prepossessing countenance that made the role of a deceiver an easy one for him.

For a decade Lee is said to have maintained two domestic establishments in the same city, and all the time preventing either wife from knowing of the other's existence. At times he has had them both in the same house together without either suspecting the identity of the other. A strange feature of this is that both knew him by the same name, and both bore it. His time seems to have been very fairly divided between his two households, though wife No. 2 was the most favored. Such a complication could not exist forever without the truth coming out, and Lee's unlucky day came, as it is certain to come with every man who indulges in such exceedingly risky affairs.

"For the past two years Lee has been living with Mrs. Sophia Lee (wife No. 2) at 2734 Manchester road. He runs a bakery and confectionery store at the place, and does a fairly good business. His family lived upstairs over the store and Mrs. Lee helped to run the business and wait on the customers. Both were well liked by their neighbors. No suspicion of anything wrong ever was raised and they were esteemed as an amiable and good-natured couple, who got along well together. Occasionally Lee would go away for awhile. Then his wife would attend to the shop and tell her acquaintances that her husband was absent on important business. And all these years the police, who have an eye to such things, regarded the Lees as well-mannered citizens.

A few months ago a trifling piece of gossip instilled suspicion in Mrs. Lee's mind. A friend of her, a woman, while making a call, told her that she had learned that Lee was living with another woman in Carondelet. This startled Mrs. Lee. She didn't believe it, but she resolved to keep an eye on her husband. She questioned him about it and he denied the accusation with such apparent honesty that she believed him, but another piece of gossip caused her suspicions to break out afresh. From some source Mrs. Lee heard that Katie Ulman, employed at the Woman's Hospital, Sixteenth and Pine streets, knew a lot about Lee. She went to see Katie Ulman.

Then the truth came out. Katie Ulman admitted to Mrs. Lee that she is Lee's stepdaughter, the daughter of his other wife. She told Mrs. Lee, so Mrs. Lee says, how Lee had married her mother, who was then a widow, twenty years ago in St. Clair County, Ill. They lived there for several years, then moved to St. Louis, where they lived in various parts of the city. For the past ten or twelve years they have been living in Corondelet. Last March they were residing on Virginia avenue, but have moved since. Lee had several children by this wife. One of the them, the oldest, named Rudolph, is now nineteen years old. He worked for awhile at the Woman's Hospital, then at Madison, Ill. Now he is working in a butcher shop in the South End.

This annoyed Mrs. Sophia Lee, for it showed that she was a No. 2 wife, something no woman wants to be. It also showed to her that Lee had deceived her most outrageously. She went home and sat down to think it over. Then she remembered Lee's frequent absences from home, his embarrassment when she taxed him with being untrue to her and a lot of other suspicious incidents. Doubt no longer remained. She was convinced that Lee spent his time during his long absences with his other family. Then came resentment, anger, fury.

In this state of mind she pounced upon her erring lord. There was a scene. Caught in a trap, Lee confessed, the second wife says, but begged her not to be hard on him. He offered to get a divorce from the other wife, she says, or do anything if she would not have him arrested. Mrs. Sophia Lee is a tender-hearted woman and Lee's penitence and tears melted her anger. She didn't carry out her threat of getting a warrant for him.

But she wouldn't live with him longer, and went to 1124½ North Ninth stret, where a reporter found her Tuesday afternoon. At first she refused to talk, but as the memory of her wrongs crowded upon her she commenced and poured for the story of her life with Lee in such a torrent of words and tears that it almost took the reporter's breath away.

"I married Robert Lee eleven years ago," she said, "at 616 Walnut street, where I was running a boarding house at that time. He told me he was a widower and that his wife was dead, and I believed him. Since then we have lived at a number of places. He is a carpenter, and a good one and makes good wages. He used to tell me that he got big jobs here and there and would be away for weeks and sometimes months. I see it all now. He was with his other wife, though I never suspected him. One time he was away for seven months at De Soto, Mo. He said he had a big job there and used to write me loving letters, wishing that he could be at home with me. Now I know that he was in Carondelet with his other family all that time.

"When we went to live on Manchester road, he opened the shop he has now. Then his other wife used to come out there to see him. He asked her and the children in to have ice-cream, and I have actually waited on them, thinking they were relatives of his. It makes me mad to think about it. I found it out in the end, and as soon as I was certain I left him and moved here. He tried to get me not to leave. Now I want to be divorced from his, and have consulted a lawyer. As soon as I can get the evidence I will file the suit."

Mrs. Sophia Lee is now looking for the Carondelet wife, but she can't find her, although she knows she is in the city. If the two women get together and compare notes, there are likely to be warm times for Lee. He knows this and is hustling to keep them apart. Mrs. Sophia thinks that he has induced his other wife to keep quiet until all danger of a prosecution for bigamy blows over. At any rate she finds herself strangely retarded in her efforts to secure evidence against Lee.

"Katie Ulman, at first so willing to talk, has suddenly developed decided reticence, and denies herself to callers. At the Woman's Hospital they say that she is not working there any more, but Mrs. Sophia thinks this is a bluff. She can't find Rudolph Lee either, and is rather discouraged, as she has no money to prosecute her search.

Lee is said to be well off. During all these years he has provided bountifully for his two wives. Uow he claims to be worth nothing, but Mrs. Sophia thinks that he has a few thousand laid away in cold cash. Incidentally she would like to get a slice of this; she helped to earn it, she says.

Mrs. Sophia Lee is now living with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Cottle. She is the daughter of Mrs. Lee's first husband. By a strange coincidence Mrs. Cottle also wants a divorce from her husband, who is a blacksmith. If she and her mother can find a lawyer who is willing to take chances on getting his fee they will file suits at the same time.

In the meantime Lee is tending his shop on the Manchester road, and his jovial countenance betrays not a whit of the worrisome canker on his mind. Perhaps he thinks that he is out of the woods, but if he could catch a glimpses of Mrs. Sophia's determined countenance he would change his opinion. A reporter tried to interview him, but the old man scowled and refused to talk.

ON HIS KNEES TO FORAKER.

McKinley Will Need the Help of His Old Enemy in '96.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Sept. 11.—The political sensation of the day at the big meeting which opened the Republican State campaign was the speech of Gov. McKinley. It was brief and dealt slightingly with national and State issues. In effect it was an appeal to Foraker for help. For a half hour the Governor eulogized Foraker and dwelt upon the paramount necessity of electing a Legislature to send him to the United States Senate. It was an open declaration that McKinley is ready to bend the knee to the man whom he has cordially hated, but who now holds the power to control the next delegation from Ohio to the national convention.

WHERE MILLS STANDS.

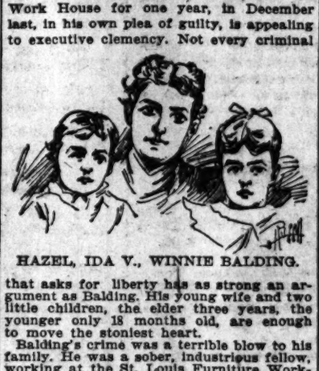
The Texas Senator Opposes the Free Coinage of Silver.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Senator Roger Q. Mills of Texas is one of the latest converts to the anti-free coinage cause. In a communication to the chairman of the Democratic State Committee of Texas he comes out squarely and vigorously against the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1 by the United States independently of the other commercial nations of the world. He contends that in taking this stand he is following the examples and teachings of the fathers of the Democratic party and of its greatest leaders in recent years.

TO SUPPORT HIS FAMILY.

A Thief Appeals to Gov. Stone for Release from the Work-House.

E. O. Balding, a thief, sentenced to the Work House for one year, in December last, in his own plea of guilty, is appealing to executive clemency. Not every criminal



HAZEL, IDA V., WINNIE BALDING.

that asks for liberty has as strong an argument as Balding. His young wife and two little children, the elder three years, the younger only 18 months old, are enough to move the stoniest heart.

Balding's crime was a terrible blow to his family. He was a sober, industrious fellow, working at the St. Louis Furniture Workers' Factory, Twenty-fifth and Palm streets. One day the police came in and arrested him for robbing Richter's Music Store, Twenty-second and O'Fallon streets. Baldwin claimed that a relative of his was the real criminal, but for some reason plead guilty on December 1 and was sentenced to a year in the Work House. He is a trusty, but as no time is allowed on State sentences he will have to serve out his full time unless the Governor interferes.

The wife and children of the sentenced thief left St. Louis and went to his father's home in Kansas, but Mrs. Balding, finding herself a burden on them, came back to St. Louis. She has succeeded in interesting a number of prominent people in her behalf, and an effort will be made to have her husband released so that he may provide for them.

DANCING UTES.

Wholesale Druggists Entertained by Indians in the West.

IGNACIO, Colo., Sept. 11.—The wholesale druggists' special train around the circle by the Denver & Rio Grande stopped and through the courtesy of Indian Agent Dave Day the visitors were treated to a war dance by firelight. The dance was participated in by 350 Utes in full costume. Those on the special were wholesale druggists from all parts of the East, most of whom had never been west of the Missouri River and had never before seen an Indian on his own ground. The timidity of some of the ladies was amusing to those who knew how much more the Indian desired wumpum than blood.

BONDS TO BE ISSUED.

Construction of the Colorado, Utah & Wyoming Railroad Assured.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 11.—The stockholders of the Colorado, Utah & Wyoming Railroad and Land Company have approved the route selected for the railroad and authorized the issue of bonds. The road will commence near Rawlins and will run via the Four Mile placers to Craig and Steamboat Springs, Colo., and westward to Ashley, Utah. It is understood that a New York house has arranged for $2,500,000 bonds, the proceeds to be used in constructing the first division.

STILL AT LARGE.

No Trace Found of Farden and Barnett, the Terre Haute Defaulters.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 11.—Farden, the missing cashier of the Adams Express Co., has not been found. He went to Cincinnati on the 1:30 a. m. train Saturday, and Barnett, the Vandalia ticket agent, was not with him. Barnett is short in his accounts $217.75 and fifty tickets are missing. Express officials say Farden did not get more than $200 in addition to the $16,000 from the Internal Revenue Collector.

Overcome by the Heat.

Thomas Baker, 22, of 3523 Papin street, was overcome by the heat at 10 o'clock Wednesday while walking on Chouteau avenue near Caroline street. He was taken to the City Hospital.

Cincinnati and Return, $6—via Vandalia Line—$6.

Tickets good going Saturday, Sept. 14, returning Monday, Sept. 16, 1895. Ticket Offices 100 North Fourth street and Union Station, St. Louis.

Wanted in Jasper County.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., Sept. 11.—Arthur Owings, who is wanted in Jasper County, Mo., on a charge of seduction, is under arrest in this city, awaiting extradition papers from Gov. Stone of Missouri. The complainant in the case is Mrs. Bertha Shonable, a member of a prominent family in Jasper County. Owings was indicted last October.

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[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

Never in the history of medicine has the demand for one particular remedy for female diseases equalled that attained by *Lydia E. Pinkham's* Vegetable Compound and never in the history of Mrs. Pinkham's wonderful Compound has the demand for it been so great as it is today. From Maine to California, from the Gulf to the St. Lawrence, come the glad tidings of woman's suffering relieved by it; and thousands upon thousands of letters are pouring in from grateful women, saying that it WILL and *does* positively cure those painful

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Lydia E. Pinkham

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It will cure the worst forms of female complaints, all ovarian troubles, inflammation and ulceration, falling and displacements of the womb, and consequent spinal weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the change of life.

Every time it will cure

Backache.

It has cured more cases of leucorrhœa by removing the cause, than any remedy the world has ever known; it is almost infallible in such cases. It dissolves and expels tumors from the uterus in an early stage of development, and checks any tendency to cancerous humors.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills work in unison with the Compound, and are a sure cure for constipation and sick-headache. Mrs. Pinkham's Sanative Wash is frequently found of great value for local application. Correspondence is freely solicited by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., and the strictest confidence assured. All druggists sell the Pinkham's remedies. The Vegetable Compound in three forms, Liquid, Pills, and Lozenges.

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LEGAL.

STATE of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss. In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis. Before the Clerk in vacation of the June term, 1895. Friday, August 30, 1895. Mary D. Randall vs. (420A) William C. Randall.

It appearing from the affidavit herein that defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri, on motion of the plaintiff, by attorney, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between the parties hereto upon the grounds that defendant offered plaintiff indignities, rendering her condition intolerable, and habitual drunkenness of defendant for a space of more than one year; and unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the City of St. Louis, on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the City of St. Louis.

A True Copy from the Record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, this 16th day of August, 1895. (Seal of Court.) THOS. B. RODGERS, Clerk.

JOHN A. GERNEZ, Attorney for Plaintiff, Room 2, 813½ Chestnut Street. 4340

STATE of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss. In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis. Before the Clerk in vacation of the June term, 1895. Tuesday, August 27, 1895. Minnie Loeffler vs. (No. 426A) George Loeffler.

It appearing from the petition this day filed herein, duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant has absconded and absented himself from his usual place of abode in this State, and that plaintiff has been unable to ascertain his present place of abode, and that she verily believes that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri; on motion of plaintiff, by her attorney, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant, without a reasonable cause, has absented himself from plaintiff for the space of one whole year next before the filing of the petition herein; and unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the City of St. Louis, on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the City of St. Louis.

A True Copy from the Record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, this 16th day of August, 1895. (Seal of Court.) THOS. B. RODGERS, Clerk. 4345

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—Notice is hereby given of Henry W. Williams, deceased, will on the 21st day of September, 1895, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, sell, at public sale, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, the personal estate, goods and chattels, belonging to the estate of said deceased, consisting of copper plates for a map of the City of St. Louis and a lot of pictures and engravings. Terms of sale, cash. FRED A. WISLIZENUS, Administrator.

St. Louis, Sept. 10, 1895. 4401

ESTATE of Louis C. Loeders, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Louis C. Loeders, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 16th day of July, 1895.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1895.

JULIA LUEDERS,
Administratrix of Louis C. Loeders, Deceased.
LUBKE & MUNICH, Attorneys, rooms 604-5 Commercial Building, St. Louis, Mo. 4321

SIMMONS HARDWARE COMPANY.

BICYCLE CONTEST.

We are often asked hom many Bicycles we have sold this year, and invariably declined to state the number. We now propose to give the boys and girls (great and small) of this city an opportunity of doing a little sum in arithmetic to find out, and to that end we offer a prize of the best made, of any weight desired, that we keep, to the party who shall guess the exact number that we have sold and whose guess is the first one opened.

EAGLE BICYCLE

To assist you in coming near to the proper number will state that if all the Bicycles we have sold this year were placed in a straight line, so that the tire of one touched the other continuously, it would measure twenty-three and one-half miles. This includes Children's wheels, Ladies' wheels, Men's wheels, Tandems, etc.

So get out your pencils, boys and girls, men and women, and figure it out. We have carefully counted the number sold and recorded it in a sealed envelope, to be opened at the close of this guessing contest.

THE PLAN

will be to allow the contest to remain open from Monday, Sept. 2, until Saturday, Sept. 14, at 4 p. m.

All guesses to be in sealed envelopes and deposited in a box prepared for that purpose at our Broadway store. When the contest closes at 4 p. m., Saturday, Sept. 14, the envelopes will all be taken out and mixed up, so that those depositing their guesses late will have an equal chance with those who guess early in the week.

The sealed envelope containing the exact number we have sold up to this date (September) will then be opened, and that paper be placed in front of the committee, and the first exactly correct guess that is opened will win the prize.

CONSOLATION PRIZES

will also be given as follows:

For the next exact guess, $25.00 in gold.
For the third correct guess, $10.00 in gold.
For the fourth, fifth and sixth correct guesses, $5.00 each in gold.

If there be no exactly correct guesses, then the nearest first opened will receive the prizes as above stated, in the order named.

We have sold so many Bicycles this year that we want the people to know the facts, and take this interesting method of making them public.

We KNOW that the

EAGLE ALUMINUM RIM BICYCLE

AS NOW MADE, is the best wheel ma nufactured. Hundreds of them are in daily use in St. Louis, and every one of them thoroughly satisfactory.

No guesses received by mail will be counted. All must be deposited in the box at our Broadway Store.

Only one vote will be allowed to each person.

We will notify all guessers of the result, and who is the winner, by a card that will appear in our window on Monday, Sept. 16.

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1001, 1003, 1005 FRANKLIN AVENUE.

If you wear Men's Shoes, sizes 5 to 6, AA to C widths, or if you have a son that wears these sizes, be sure to read Boehmer's advertisement

ESTATE of Hermann Kummer, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Hermann Kummer, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 30th day of March, 1895.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1895.

ANNIE KUMMER,
Administratrix of Hermann Kummer, Deceased. 4342

ASSIGNMENT of John D. Hallstrom—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, William J. Nolte, assignee, does hereby appoint September 23, 1895, as a day and the law office of Eber Peacock, No. 522 Pine street, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., as the place when and where he will proceed publicly to adjust and allow demands against the estate and effects of said assignor. Said assignee will attend at the place designated on said day and remain in attendance at said place on said day and during two consecutive days thereafter and commence the adjustment and allowance of demands at 9 o'clock a. m. and continue the same until 3 o'clock p. m. of each of said three days.

WILLIAM J. NOLTE,
Assignee of John D. Hallstrom, 821 N. 9th st., St. Louis, Mo. 4303

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of an execution, issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, returnable to the October term, 1895, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of S. Birkenhead and E. Birkenhead, partners, as S. Birkenhead & Co., plaintiffs, and against Gustave Kunsemuller, defendant, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the defendant above named, of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the mechanics' lien on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit: A lot of ground in block 2600 of said city, fronting 25 feet on the east side of Nebraska avenue, by a depth eastwardly between parallel lines of 150 feet to a private alley 15 feet wide, the south line of said lot being parallel with and 86 feet north of the north line of St. Louis (formerly Chappell) avenue, together with a certain two-story brick dwelling building known as 2606 Nawkesaw avenue, situated thereon; and I will, on Friday, the 4th day of October, 1895, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named defendant, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

HENRY TROLL,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Sept. 10, 1895. 4397

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Sarah Farr, deceased, that I, the undersigned, executor of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of December next. EDWARD FARR, Executor.
St. Louis, Sept. 10, 1895. 4400

STATE of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss. In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis. Before the Clerk in vacation of the June term, 1895. Tuesday, August 20, 1895. Sallie E. Marshall vs. (No. 453A) Charles M. Marshall.

It appearing from the petition heretofore filed herein, duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, and that his whereabouts is to the plaintiff unknown, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant; for the care and custody of the infant child born of the marriage aforesaid named "Marie Ella," on the ground that the defendant, wholly disregarding his duties as the husband of the plaintiff, has absented himself without a reasonable cause for the space of one whole year next before the filing of the petition herein; and unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the City of St. Louis, on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the City of St. Louis.

A True Copy from the Record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, this 30th day of August, 1895. (Seal of Court.) THOS. B. RODGERS, Clerk. 4344

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a general and special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the October term, 1895, of said court, and to me directed, wherein Theodore Siegle is plaintiff and Albert T. Cook is defendant, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the mechanics' lien on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit: A lot of ground in block 2600 of said city, fronting 25 feet on the east side of Nebraska avenue, by a depth eastwardly between parallel lines of 150 feet to a private alley 15 feet wide, the south line of said lot being parallel with and 86 feet north of the north line of St. Louis (formerly Chappell) avenue, together with a certain two-story brick dwelling building known as 2606 Nawkesaw avenue, situated thereon; and I will, on Friday, the 4th day of October, 1895, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named defendant, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

HENRY TROLL,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 10, 1895. 4398

ASSIGNMENT of Valentine Fath—A dividend of 5 per cent will be paid by the undersigned on all general claims allowed against the assigned estate at No. 1237 S. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., on and after Sept. 15, 1895, by order of Circuit Court.

CHARLES HAHN, Assignee.
Sept. 6, 1895. 4396

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CIRCULATION OF THE Sunday Post-Dispatch.

A Sworn Statement of Circulation.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
ST. LOUIS, Sept. 9, 1895.
Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the city of St. Louis, Mo., G. W. Jones, Business Manager of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, who deposes and says that the regular editions of the Sunday Post-Dispatch the nine previous Sundays, after deducting all spoiled and left-over copies, was as follows:

July 7	80,819
July 14	78,691
July 21	79,156
July 28	80,427
August 4	80,440
August 11	80,209
August 18	81,123
August 25	82,414
September 1	82,778
September 8	82,803
Total	808,860
Average per Sunday	80,886

G. W. JONES, Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the 9th day of September, 1895.
(Seal.) EDWARD BUETELL,
Notary Public, City of St. Louis, Mo.
My term expires Dec. 9, 1898.

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THE SCHOOL BOARD'S WORK.

In yesterday's stormy session the School Board offset one good action with a bad one.

In approving the proposition to submit Attorney Stark's lobby bill of $5,000 to arbitration the board receded from its sound position that the school funds cannot be diverted to the purpose of lobbying legislation through the Legislature when it refused to pay the bill. No matter what the amount allowed for Mr. Stark's services by the arbitrators, the board has surrendered a valuable principle. The Post-Dispatch does not believe that the people, and the merchants especially, whose pockets have borne the burden of the lobbying and its consequences, will regard with complacency such an illegitimate disposition of school funds.

On the other hand, the board acted wisely in adopting the Post-Dispatch's view that a reasonable term of office should be guaranteed the Superintendent. It was necessary to secure the services of a first-class man and it will undoubtedly result in better work and less friction and board politics.

Mr. Soldan's experience, ability and familiarity with the public school system of this city give strong promise that he will prove equal to the great opportunity offered him in the Superintendency.

THE CUP SEEMS SAFE.

British pride is easily satisfied if it can find comfort in the outcome of yesterday's race between Defender and Valkyrie.

The race was a virtual defeat for the British boat and as fully proved her inferiority to the American yacht as if under fair conditions Defender had beaten her. In fact the virtual defeat is a little more humiliating than a clear victory because of the conditions which enabled Valkyrie to win on a fluke.

In the first leg of the course, through superior jockeying and the crippling of the Defender, Dunraven's yacht gained a lead of 3 minutes and 50 seconds. In the second leg, with less sail, Defender gained on her competitor and in the third leg, with equal sail, the American boat outfooted Valkyrie and reduced her lead to 47 seconds. The only racing of the course was in the home stretch and the American yacht proved her superiority.

The only conclusion to be deduced from the facts is that Defender is the faster yacht. Even if yesterday's race should be awarded to Valkyrie, Americans have good ground for confidence that the cup will stay on this side of the ocean.

OUR RELIC OF MEDIEVALISM.

The people of Springfield, this State, have no occasion to think that their city suffers invidious distinction by the appeal from a chance inmate in behalf of an unfortunate girl imprisoned with a lot of brutalized men in the calaboose.

Unfortunately there are few cities, in the hold-overs or even the jails of which the conditions described of the Springfield calaboose do not exist. There are few of the calabooses that would not suggest new material to the imagination of a Dante for a description of a section of Inferno.

The city of St. Louis, with all of its wealth and refinement and with numerous organizations laboring for the humanizing of society, the improvement of our institutions and the adoption of the best methods of checking crime and vice, has not yet approached a humane and rational system in penal and reformatory institutions. We have just begun to move in the direction of the separation of male and female prisoners and of the hopelessly vicious from the beginners in vice and crime. Our House of Refuge for the reform of the wayward young is still so arranged that tender children placed there to be kept from evil are compelled to associate with the most degraded and hardened young criminals.

It is the fault of the system. We know better, but with all our enlightenment and aspirations we permit indifference and inertia to keep us suffering from a relic of medievalism. It is a reproach which the good people of Springfield and St. Louis and every other city should join in wiping out.

CARELESS BUILDING INSPECTION.

When a Buddensiek building put up by private parties falls, there is always an outcry against the criminal carelessness on the part of the city officials whose duty it was to see that no such buildings were put up or allowed to stand. Yet until the city can so inspect its own buildings as to prevent the erection of weak and crooked walls and bad workmanship generally, how are we to expect it to look after the interests of the people in regard to buildings not strictly public?

These remarks are based on the fact that it has been discovered that the fireproofing put in the new City Hall is inferior and the work on it scamped. The contract is now completed and the work will have to be undone. Yet it was as easy to have discovered that it was being scamped when one arch was finished as now when all the arches, etc., are filled with the poor material.

The need of this inspection at the outset and at all stages of the work, which the Post-Dispatch has heretofore urged and will continue to urge, is emphasized by the further fact that Engine House No. 35, at Arsenal street and Sublette avenue, has been built contrary to the specifications, and after the fashion of a "shell" house, instead of a public building, erected to endure for generations. The engine-house is completed even as far as bath-room fixtures, yet hardly anything about it is satisfactory or creditable. Surely this is a somewhat late date to find all this out!

What has the Building Commissioner been about, that it required an investigating committee to discover such manifest infractions of the law? What sort of inspection is that which must in turn be inspected by investigating committees? It is time to put a stop to such a farce in connection with city government.

DIVORCE COMPETITION.

A novel industry is illustrated by the circular of a firm of Oklahoma divorce lawyers issued for the purpose of drumming up business.

The circular, while setting forth the peculiar merits of the "divorce specialists" who send it out, also lauds the advantages of Oklahoma as a land of speedy divorce. It asserts without fear of contradiction that for speed, ease and enjoyment while the divorce mill grinds your grist the firm and its locality cannot be surpassed. It even dwells on the beauty of the scenery upon which the eye of the seeker for divorce may rest as he or she waits for the sweets of liberty.

We presume that this glowing announcement will be met by a counter move on the part of the lawyers of Dakota and other localities favored by advanced legislation on divorce. We shall probably have the roofs and rocks along the railways and highways decorated with fair pictures of the ravishing scenes and surroundings amidst which the matrimonially weary may seek surcease of sorrow. We may expect offers of music and refreshment while we wait and perhaps a nest egg for a new start with the next.

All of this is very end-of-the-century and shows what rapid progress we are making in some directions. It is a condition which must work out to its logical conclusion. But while the Post-Dispatch declines to enter into a discussion of the moral and social consequences of cheap and easy divorce, we do say that the difference of divorce laws in the States which admits of such competition and which encourages the divorce colonies is altogether vicious and should be rectified.

The advertisement of easy divorce in one, two or three States, with the possible complications and disgraceful circumstances attached thereto emphasizes the necessity of uniformity in divorce laws.

Even if the charge were true—it is denied on the part authority—that the Exposition managers have not been just in the distribution of passes, the stockholder who complained of mismanagement on that account is short-sighted. The St. Louis Exposition is a monument of successful management, much of the work of which has been done by prominent merchants without hope of other reward than public commendation.

The Rev. Pinkham of Bridgeport, Conn., has had to step down and out because he did not believe that any fish swallowed Jonah. Connecticut congregations know what they want, and the dismissal of the Rev. Pinkham will doubtless serve as a warning in every pulpit in the State.

The confession of a loving husband that he spanked his wife in order to make her reasonable will interest many married people, and no doubt there will be numerous expressions of feminine indignation. What if a new woman were to venture upon matrimony with one of these spankers?

The Canadians made themselves ridiculous upon the little victory of Valkyrie over crippled Defender. However, the record of British yachts in American waters is so very bad that we may look with charity upon the absurd exultation in the Colonies.

It is now announced that one of the ex-President's teeth has been pulled. Nothing is clearer than the fact that Mr. Harrison will be kept before the people in one way or another until the final vote in the national convention of his party.

Chicago is considerably astonished over the announcement by Judge Payne that "the man who is guilty shall be punished, whether he is too poor to hire a lawyer or rich enough to buy the bar." That a man who is rich enough to buy the bar should be punished will shock many wealthy offenders, and if every Judge in Illinois were to follow Judge Payne, might not the State lose some capital through emigration?

Dr. Forbes Winslow declares that he only said that in some cases bicycling was injurious to the health of women. As in some cases almost any form of amusement is injurious, Dr. Winslow can scarcely be set down as a foe to the wheel.

Possibly, as Mr. Bolkin told the Medico-Legal Congress, suicide may be justified in certain cases, but the would-be suicide, if he is sane, must take into consideration the chances of a future state. Justification here might not count there.

Perhaps Quay's triumph is due to the fact that Pennsylvania thinks she cannot spare a man who blocks legislation in the Senate, though the fact is that any blockhead, under the Senate rules, can stop all business there.

The attempt of the New York police to suppress street cries will be viewed with interest in every American city. Possibly when street cries are done away with, the door bells will be worked more by the hushed hawkers.

Pastor Pike of Pullman is defending the sleeping-coach man, but travelers who are tossed around in an upper berth after paying all that a lower one costs will pay little heed to anything that Pastor Pike may say.

Miss Kate Field expresses great faith in Uncle Sam's mail. It is evident that Miss Field has more faith in Uncle Sam's mail than in Uncle Sam's male; else, why does she persist in remaining heart whole and fancy free?

It is to be hoped that Gen. Noble did not suggest the statements sent East from his office by the St. Louis "sound money" club, because the General knows nothing about the Pertle Springs convention.

Republican tides are brought on by Democrats remaining at home on election days. But tides or no tides, the Democrats of the United States are not going to come out to vote for monometallism.

After Mr. McKinley's great effort in behalf of Foraker, it seems incredible that J. B. will knife him in the national convention should an opportunity offer. But Ohio politics has always been queer.

Gov. Morton is said to have taken to bowling. He perhaps wishes to show the country a presidential aspirant who can take exercise in the warm autumn weather without being overcome.

Time is likely to whet his scythe a few more summers before the Ziegenhein Commission reports, and he may even get himself a lawn mower before the report is in.

Should Messrs. Corbett and Fitzsimmons pass through the city at any time it might interest them to be invited to attend a session of the School Board.

Another favorable indication has been found in Election Commissioner Saunders. His Republicanism is under suspicion.

The crowd in Louisville is great, and so is the crowd of Post-Dispatch subscribers in St. Louis. Each is a grand army.

There are really so many able men in both parties that a third term for any President would be absurd.

Now let us see how much evidence the New York police will get of the Sunday doings of the swell clubs.

If Carlisle doesn't go to Bradley's assistance in Kentucky, the Republican nominee may be defeated.

This is a good year for Senator Gorman to retire to private life.

The American Sunday.

From the Providence Journal.

The declaration of the New York State Republican League in favor of "the American Sunday" is a bit vague. Habits of observing the first day of the week differ so much in different parts of this big land, with its conglomerate population, that there can hardly be said to be any one prevailing kind of Sunday among us. In a majority of our cities at least the day is one of comparative liberty and almost of as complete freedom regarding personal conduct as any other day of the week, and not even in the small towns and rural districts would one be able to discover many instances of even an approximation to the old-time Puritan Sabbath.

McKinley's Silver Silence.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

"The increase of wages," says the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "has given Mr. McKinley great discomfort, but as a circus was attached in Ohio the other day he begins to hope that the business revival is only a spurt, and that the return to depression of last year may not be far off." The failure of the circus is not the only failure on which the Governor can base a hope that the hard times are not yet over. There is, for instance, Gov. McKinley's own great and lasting failure to find out where he stands on the silver question.

Pagan Pugilism.

From Words and Works.

With one single exception, and that was in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, we have seen no word of disapproval or condemnation of the proposed scheme to disgrace Texas and the South, by pagan pugilism, in the editorial columns of the leading newspapers. Are these editorial "molders of public opinion" too busy to express an opinion on the subject, or have the managers of the thug thumpers paid them to wait and moralize on the shameful fact that such things are tolerated—after the whole damnable trick has been consummated?

Passing of the Spirit.

From the Century.

The wind, the world-old rhapsodist, goes by,
And the great pines, in changeless vesture gloomed,
And all the towering elm trees, thatched
With green, take up, one after one, the cry:
And as their choral voices swell and die,
Catching the infinite note from tree to tree,
Others far off, in long antistrophe,
With swaying arms and surging tops reply,
So to men's souls, at sacred intervals,
Out of the dust of life takes wings and calls
A spirit that we know not, nor can trace;
And heart to heart makes answer with strange thrill;
It passes, and a moment, face to face,
We dream ourselves immortal and are still.
ARCHIBALD LAMPMAN.

WELL-KNOWN ST. LOUISANS.

William E. Schweppe.

Wm. E. Schweppe was born at Alton, Ill. In 1869 he entered the grocery business as a traveling salesman for R. De Bow & Co. He came to St. Louis in 1871 and in 1883 he established his present firm, the Schweppe Grocery Co. Mr. Schweppe is serving his second term as President of the Missouri Wholesale Grocers' Association. He was for seven years Secretary of the Associated Wholesale Grocers of St. Louis and afterwards twice President of that body. Mr. Schweppe is a prominent member of the Mercantile Club and Business Men's League and has been active in all moves for the good of St. Louis.

MEN OF MARK.

Richard Watson Gilder published an amateur newspaper of the age of 12 years.

King Christian of Denmark is the oldest European monarch, while King Alfonso of Spain is the youngest.

Will T. Hale, the sweet singer of Tennessee, like Frank L. Stanton, is a newspaper man. He is one of the editorial staff of the Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

Police Commissioner Roosevelt of New York, according to Julian Ralph, is not a martinet. He is too fond of fun to be stern except on rare occasions.

Sir Knight Isaac Mass of Vincennes, Ind., is one of the oldest Masons who visited Boston. He is 85 and a thirty-second degree Mason. He stood the fatigue of the parade remarkably well.

John I. Blair, the New Jersey railroad king, who has over $25,000,000 invested in Western railroads, boasts that he has never bought a road merely for speculation, and none of his money has been made by bulling or bearing stocks.

Mr. John Burns declares that in America the miners' wages are a shilling a day less than they are in Nottingham, Durham or Northumberland; their hours of work are longer, their houses are worse, and their condition is indescribably sad, and this he attributes to the want of trades unionism among them.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

The Empress of Germany is a good public speaker.

Mmes. Eames and Nordica each receive $700 for a night's work.

Mrs. Martha White, 83 years of age, of Unadilla, N. Y., recently took a two-mile spin on a bicycle.

Queen Victoria once wrote some verses which were forwarded to a publisher under a nom de plume, and were promptly returned "with thanks."

Col. John Hay is the latest author to boast a literary daughter. Miss Helen Hay contributes to one of the young folks' magazines this month a humorous poem called "The Merry Mongoose."

A bicycle manufacturing firm in New England is constructing a machine for the Princess Maud, of Wales, that is to be one of the handsomest products of the wheeling craze. It will be silver mounted and the appointments will all be of the richest character.

AMUSING BREVITIES.

More Recent.—Jack: Ah! You are a true daughter of Eve." Jess: "Indeed, I am not. We go back only to William the Conqueror."—Puck.

Royal Jest—"And now," said his Royal Highness, when the executioner had led the culprit to the highest battlement on the palace, "it is time to drop the subject."—Indianapolis Journal.

Jones: "There is one thing worse than dying." Brown: "What is that?" Jones: "Living until all the people you can borrow from are dead."—Truth.

No matter how strange it may seem, a good joke is only appreciated when it's cracked.—Philadelphia Record.

The Man with the Iron Mask: "I don't believe you even know your letters." Junius: "I like your face!"—Chicago Tribune.

"They say," said the prudent man, "that a man who never drinks, nor smokes, nor stays up late at night, always lives to a great age." "Yes," replied his very blase friend, with a yawn, "that's his punishment."—Washington Star.

A COMMON EXPRESSION.

"Practising at the bag."

Uncle Filley.

From the Springfield Leader-Democrat.

Decency may get the old man down for awhile in his party, but desperation and an insatiate longing for pie puts him up again.

That London Gabfest.

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

Two wordy St. Lous across sea
On politics talked rather free,
And one heated fellow
He broke his umbrellow
In showing how things ought to be.

LANDAU—MESSING.

Wedding of the Daughter of the Well-Known Rabbi.

An important social event is the wedding of Miss Lillian May Messing, eldest daughter of Rev. H. J. Messing, rabbi of the United Hebrew Temple, and Mr. Joseph Landau, a well-known young business man of this city, at the United Hebrew Temple.

The ceremony will be performed by Rev. A. J. Messing of Chicago, the uncle of the bride, assisted by her father, after which there will follow a reception at Mahler's Assembly Rooms on Olive street.

The bride will be attended by Miss Elsie Messing, her younger sister, as maid of honor; her cousins, Misses Laura Morganstern and Nora Harris of St. Paul, and Julia Messing of Chicago being the bridemaids. Mr. Sam Russack will be best man. Messrs. Big. Livingston, Charles and Eli Mosea, all of Chicago, being the groomsmen, and Messrs. J. Spiro, H. Marks, M. Punch, A. and O. Messing, the last two being brothers of the bride, will be the ushers.

The bridal party will be led by two little flower girls, Miss Florence Messing, the sister of the bride, and Miss Millie Landau, the niece of the groom. Master James Meyberg will act as ring bearer.

The bride will be gowned in a robe of heavy cream tinted Duchesse satin, the skirt perfectly plain, and falling into a long court train, the corsage cut high, and made with a full blouse front, the only garniture being graceful trails of orange blossoms. The veil of soft white tulle will be fastened to the coiffure with a beautiful pendant of diamonds and pearls, the gift of the bridegroom, and she will carry in her hand a Bible bound in white satin. The maid of honor will wear a gown of white taffeta silk, cut round in the neck and trimmed with soft ruffles of white silk chiffon, and she will carry a large bouquet of bride's roses, tied with white satin ribbon. The first bridemaid will wear a gown of white bengaline, trimmed with silk, with diamond ornaments. The second bridesmaid will be gowned in pink brocaded satin, the bodice cut low and trimmed with chiffon of the same shade, and she will carry a bouquet of La France roses.

Miss Nora Harris, who is quite a young girl, will wear a simple girlish gown of white mull, the infant waist round in the neck and trimmed with lace and ribbons, the little flower girls being gowned in pink satin with large baskets filled with pink roses.

The little ring bearer will wear a costume of white satin, trimmed with ruffles of point lace, and he will carry the wedding ring reposing upon a pillow of roses and carnations.

The church and reception hall will be lavishly decked with potted palms and ferns, with wreaths of smilax and white roses.

Mrs. J. H. Messing, the mother of the bride, will wear a gown of black satin, trimmed with point lace, and Mrs. Landau, the mother of the bridegroom, will be gowned in a handsome costume of yellow brocade trimmed with black and gold passementerie.

A large number of guests from Chicago and St. Paul will be present at the wedding and reception.

The young couple will reside at the West End Hotel until their own residence, 4547 Delmar avenue, is ready for them.

Fenchler—Weil.

A home wedding is that of Miss Julia Weil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Weil, of 3927 Washington boulevard, and Mr. Adolph Fenchel, of Montgomery, Ala., at 6:30 p. m., Rev. Dr. Salz officiating.

The bridal party will stand beneath a canopy of smilax and bridal roses during the ceremony, the mantels being banked with roses and ferns. The bride will be attended by her sister, Miss Birdie Weil, as maid of honor, and Mr. Louis Marcus, from Montgomery, Ala., nephew of the bridegroom, will act as best man.

The bride will wear white organdy over white silk, trimmed with lace and white ribbon, a veil of white tulle falling to the hem of her gown, caught to her hair with a diamond pendant, the gift of the bridegroom. She will carry a prayer book bound in solid silver.

Miss Birdie Weil, as maid of honor, will wear a gown of yellow taffeta silk, the bodice cut round, trimmed with ruffles of chiffon, with a necklace of pearls. After a family dinner, including about twenty-five guests, the young couple will leave for Chicago. Upon their return to the city they will reside with Mrs. Jacob Fraley, the sister of the bride, at 4105 Maryland avenue.

Among many handsome gifts from her friends and relatives the bride received a leather case containing ten $20 gold pieces, each fitting into its place in the satin-lined case, from her uncle, Mr. Louis F. Weil, of San Francisco.

Gunn—P'fiager.

At 3 p. m. Miss May Irene P'fiager, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. P'fiager, of 4019 Olive street, was married to Mr. Henry Sabe Gunn, of Ellisville, Miss. The ceremony was quietly celebrated at the residence of the bride, Rev. Dr. Matthews officiating. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Jessie P'fiager, as maid of honor, and her brother, Mr. Will P'fiager, acted as best man to the groom. The bride wore a pretty gown of white silk taffeta, the skirt en traine, the bodice high, with plaited front and back, the crushed collar and pointed girdle of the silk, a bertha of lace about the neck and shoulders. The white tull veil was fastened with pearl pins, and she carried a bouquet of bride's roses. Miss Jessie P'fiager wore a gown of white taffeta, the bodice cut low with garniture of ribbons and lace, and she carried a bouquet of ferns tied with white ribbons.

This was a white and green wedding, all of the decorations being of white roses, ferns and palms.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunn left by boat this afternoon for New Orleans. They will reside at Ellisville, Miss., where the bridegroom has just completed a handsome residence as his wedding gift to his bride.

Chamberlin—Mueller.

Yesterday evening Miss Jennie Mueller was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the ceremony taking place at the residence of the bride's mother, 1413 North Vandeventer avenue.

Silence—Humphreys.

A pretty wedding in Benton will be that at 8:30 p. m. of Miss Mary Isabel Humphreys, only daughter of the late Capt. Samuel Humphreys, and grand-daughter of Judge Sutton, of Sutton, Mo., to Mr. Samuel Fisher Silence, prominent in St. Louis railroad circles and State Secretary of the Epworth League. The ceremony will take place at the Immanuel Church, M. E. South, on Blendon place and Bruno avenue, Benton Station. The church will be handsomely decorated with china asters and other autumn flowers. The bride, a beautiful brunette, will be attired in an elegant heavy ivory-white corded silk gown, made with full Paquin skirt, ending in a sweeping traine, bodice made with a slight point in front with blouse front of duchesse lace, long sash of narrow corded ribbon at the back and large sleeves. A wedding veil of soft white tulle will envelop her and she will carry a bouquet of bride's roses. Miss Birdie Gallagher, the sole bridesmaid, a petite blonde, will also be costumed in white silk and carry La France roses. After the ceremony a reception will be held and the couple will leave for Ellendale, where they will in future reside.

New Catholic Feast Day.

The Catholic churches of St. Louis will celebrate in a special manner on November 17, the recently established feast of the miraculous medal. As yet the pastors have not received official notice of the addition to the ecclesiastical calendar, but they expect to be informed shortly.

In 1831 Sister Catherine of Paris informed her cloistered sisters that the Virgin Mary had appeared to her and had directed her to have coined a medal, the wearers of which would be endowed with many virtues. The story of the apparition was told to the church authorities at Rome. The usual methods of authentication were observed, and in 1894, after a lapse of 33 years, the Pope declared that the apparition was genuine, and that the medal should be struck off.

At the time this decision was given there were special services at St. Vincent's Church, Ninth street and Park avenue, and the feast day in November will be celebrated at the same church with unusual pomp.

WOMEN AT HOME

The Dorothy Hat.

White chip hat trimmed with a series of overlapping plaitings, in butter-colored lace. Cluster of black and yellow ostrich plumes;

white and yellow flowers under the raised brim at the side and back.

Ginger Pears.

Ginger pears are a delicious sweetmeat. Use a hard pear, peel, core and cut the fruit into very thin slices. For eight pounds of fruit after it has been sliced use the same quantity of sugar, the juice of four lemons, one pint of water, and half a pound of ginger root, sliced thin. Cut the lemon rinds into as long and thin stripe as possible. Place all together in a preserving kettle and boil slowly for an hour.

Grape Juice Sherbet.

Grape juice makes a fine sherbet. Put in a saucepan half a pound of granulated sugar and one quart of water. Let it boil a few moments. Take from the fire and add the juice of one lemon and a tablespoonful of gelatine that has been dissolved in a gill of water. When cool add a half pint of juice from any dark, rich grape and turn into a freezer and freeze. When frozen and before you remove the beater add the white of an egg beaten to a froth with one tablespoonful of powdered sugar. Stir thoroughly into the sherbet. Cover and repack. Stand in a cool place for two hours.

A Laundry Hint.

Colored and white clothes must never go into the same tub, and white ones should be hung in the sun and colored ones in the shade. Silver is more quickly cleaned by washing in hot water and ammonia, drying immediately and polishing with chamois skin, and when much chased an old tooth brush dipped in the ammonia water and then into whiting will rub out the tarnish. It must then be washed and polished like the plainer pieces. The summer bride will find that knowledge of this sort will be of more use to her than most of her wedding presents.

Two Toilet Hints.

To prevent mosquitoes from harassing one, smear the hands and face with pennyroyal and keep a bottle of that pungent perfume open to frighten away the pests. Once they have succeeded in biting one one the only thing to do is to anoint the bites with ammonia, lemon juice or salt.

A sign of advancing age almost as inevitable as the crease in the neck is the gradual receding of the gums from the teeth. To counteract this tendency an astringent tooth wash should be occasionally used. The teeth should moreover be brushed crosswise and down rather than up.

Fewer Marriages in England.

Perhaps the new woman is responsible for the falling off in marriages in England. For the first quarter of this year only 10.6 persons in 1,000 married, which is the lowest rate on record.

Pretty Scrim Sets.

Pretty bureau sets for a young lady's room are made of white scrim, and consist of a scarf lined with pale blue sateen, two small square mats and one larger one. The scarf is just the size of the top of the bureau, and has a broad hemstitched border surrounded by wide lace, plain except at the corners. The body of the scarf is decorated with a tattered flower design embroidered in pale blue wash silk. The mats are similarly ornamented, but require no lining. These scrim sets have one decided advantage over the more elaborate satin ones—they can be laundered and so kept immaculate, which is the greatest charm of all toilet accessories.

Tartar Sauce.

A novel and attractive way to serve tartar sauce for fish is as follows: Take a fair-sized cucumber and cut off one side; scrape out the center and fill this cucumber canoe with tartar sauce. Place on a dish some delicate lettuce leaves, and on top of these leaves lay plenty of parsley. Then put the cucumber on this bed of green.

French Laws Concerning Babies.

It is not generally known that in France it is forbidden under severe penalties for any one to give infants under 1 year any form of solid food unless such be ordered by a written prescription signed by a legally qualified medical man. Nurses are also forbidden to use in the rearing of infants confined to their care at any time or under any pretext whatever any nursing bottle provided with a rubber tube.

Good Time to Buy Furs.

This is a capital time to buy furs. It sounds ridiculous, doesn't it, when the sun is blazing away in the heavens and muslins are the only wear, but it is true. At this season there is a great reduction in the price of furs, and it is easy to leave an order and save money when cold weather comes and the garment is needed. As for the fashions in fur, believe me they are pretty well settled by this time. Broadly speaking, seal skin capes will be waist-length, jackets are moderately short, and sleeves slightly more reasonable than they were last year. Velvet, trimmed heavily with fur, will continue to be worn, but for more definite information a trip to any first-class furrier's will suffice.

Cheese Crackers.

A dainty morsel for the hungry half hour before bedtime is "cheese crackers." Spread thin zephyrettes or salted crackers with a little butter and sprinkle lightly with grated Parmesan cheese. Place on a dish in the oven long enough to brown them slightly. These will keep for several days.

THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

Kindly tell me how I can keep my head free from dandruff. A. B.

Shampoo your scalp with green soap and tepid water several times a week.

Kindly tell me how to take iron in pill form as a tonic for the blood. D. A. A.

Take a pill containing one or two grains of reduced iron after each meal.

Please print a remedy for cold in the head, causing a stopped-up nose; also, give a gargle that may be used by one who is subject to tonsilitis. C. A. K.

1. Use a solution composed of ten grains of menthol, ten grains of eucalyptol, ten drops of oil of cubebs and two ounces of liquid albolene, with a nasal atomizer every hour or two as required. Get a solution consisting of ten drops of oil of peppermint, one dram of pure carbolic acid, and three drams of alcohol; add ten drops to a teacupful of hot water, and use as a gargle every three or four hours.

WHAT ARE INSPECTORS FOR?

Evidently Not to Report Defects in Construction of City Buildings.

Building Commissioner Randall, as stated in Tuesday's Post-Dispatch, was not altogether pleased with the report of the committee of the Board of Public Improvements on glaring defects in Engine House No. 35, located at Arsenal and Sublette avenue.

He made the somewhat remarkable proposition that the board appoint an architect and himself another to pass on the questions at issue, thus placing himself in the attitude of defending Contractor Scanlon, or his inspectors. Of course, sine the board alone has jurisdiction and the report dwelt in details from a personal investigation, such a proposition was not considered.

While it is true that part of the work was done before Mr. Randall's administration, the defects were plainly visible to the committee without removing a board, and Mr. Randall's inspectors should have seen them just as easily. As it was, the inspectors reported the building all right, and Mr. Randall was prepared to receive it and sign the vouchers on their report.

To Mr. Holman he said: "We have to rely on our inspectors to a large extent. What would you do if one of your inspectors reported work all right and it proved otherwise?"

"It has happened to me," replied the Water Commissioner promptly and with emphasis. "An inspector and a civil engineer were both guilty of this once, and what did I do? Why I just went out there and fired the whole shooting match on the spot."

Another member suggested tentatively that it might be a good scheme to hire competent inspectors. This idea was emphasized a few minutes later when the charge was ventilated that the fire proofing at the new City Hall was not up to specifications either as to workmanship or material, and it was recalled that quite recently a like condition was found to exist in the tin roofing of the jail.

"What are the inspectors about to allow such work to go on and not stop it or report it?" asked Mr. Stone, and no one had an answer ready. It is a fact that in none of the three cases in question have the defects been reported by inspectors.

STOLE A BOX OF BOOKS.

Royal Publishing Co. Is Short Volumes Worth $650.

S. P. Dalton, local manager of the Royal Publishing Company of 803 Fagin building, is looking for a box of books valued at $650 and several canvassers, suspected of being responsible for its disappearance.

At Mr. Dalton's request, the general officers of the company have come here and checked up the stock, discovering that 100 copies of "Leslie's Civil War," valued at $6.50 each, were missing. On investigation it appears that the box was dumped on the sidewalk toward evening and spirited away by employes who knew of its contents. Having the company's literature and subscription blanks, it was easy to dispose of the books.

Mr. Dalton has employed private detectives to ferret out the thieves. One suspect has already skipped out.

TWO WIVES, TWO HOMES.

The Cross Bill in Divorce Proceedings Against a Denver Man.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 11.—James S. Hudson, wealthy and a member of the Denver Club, who instituted divorce proceedings, has a cross bill to answer. His wife claims that for six years he has been leading a double life, having two wives and two houses in Denver. The Hudsons were married in St. Louis in 1883. Mrs. Hudson lived in Paris for a while, and her husband tried to induce her to stay there while he remained in Denver. This, she says, was a scheme to prevent her from becoming aware of the other wife. Hudson recently fell heir to $200,000.

SAVED BY MANSFIELD.

Shedding of Gore Prevented by the Jury Commissioner's Blunderbuss.

Tom McDonough, a clerk in the Collector's office, had an encounter threatening serious results Tuesday afternoon with a collector for a tailoring concern, who was desirous of obtaining $5 of McDonough's money. After a wordy quarrel the collector started to leave the building, but McDonough hastened after him and administered a swift kick upon a convenient spot, greatly accelerating the collector's progress.

In the collector's mind this affront required the shedding of blood. So he drew an eraser and made for McDonough, who stood his ground similarly armed.

It would have been a duel in earnest had not Col. Fielding Mansfield interfered. At the most critical moment Col. Mansfield appeared and in his hand was an old navy pistol. With this in evidence he stepped between the combatants and frustrated their bloody designs. Although at least twenty persons, mostly employes of the Collector's office, saw the row, one no will talk about it. McDonough will not disclose the name of his opponent.

PURSUING HER HUSBAND.

History of Two Entries on the St. Nicholas Hotel Register.

"D. G. West and wife, Kansas City," was one of the entries made on the St. Nicholas Hotel register last Saturday. The couple occupied room 88. Sunday a stranger inquired at the hotel where room 88 was, and later a man with a spy glass was seen peering into that room from the roof of the building at the northeast corner of Eighth and Locust streets.

Monday a lady registered at the St. Nicholas as Mrs. E. P. Blanchard of Atchison, Kan. She alleged a belief that West, who had departed shortly before she arrived, was her husband. She was accompanied by the man who had used the spy glass. She took room 88, perhaps to discover some evidence. She remained until Tuesday night, and left to continue the chase.

GOOD FELLOWS GUNNING.

But Instead of Subscribers Former St. Louis Scribes Seek Each Other.

It is not a rare thing for other people to be looking for newspaper men with a gun, but the trouble must be very serious when two of the scribes get after each other. J. C. Moffett, who used to write weird tales on the St. Louis papers, but who is now night editor of the Cincinnati Tribune, and Dr. Chartier, a French newspaper man, formerly of this city, but now of Porkopolis, are contemplating a duel. This, no doubt, results from the injection of the French factor into the game in the person of Dr. Chartier.

The doctor has been writing some for the Tribune and Col. Moffatt dumped a lot of his stuff into the waste basket. This led to a heated colloquy between the writer and the editor as to judgment of news, upon which point all newspaper men consider themselves perfect, and now they are going to fight a duel.

Col. James S. Evans of Mississippi, an erstwhile St. Louisan, who wades in blood, and Ashley Deering, are McGee's seconds. Migue O'Hanes and W. C. Chaffee will act for the doctor. The duel was to have taken place on Kentucky soil at sunrise Wednesday, but no reports of a blood-red dyeing of the Ohio have been received.

TESTY ABOUT HIS TITLE.

Scene in Court in the Case of Sir Roderick Cameron and His Son.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Testy Sir Roderick Cameron, who insists on receiving his British title while in America, was up for examination again yesterday to explain why his son, Duncan Ewen Campbell, did not pay a judgment of $1,261.81 got against him by Henry Lewis, a London jeweler, for articles bought in 1888 and given to an actress and others.

It soon came out that Sir Roderick is executor of his wife's estate. The real estate stands in her name, because he is an alien. Duncan Cameron was left a half-interest in her estate and mortgaged it to his father. The father said that he had paid the boy's debts to the amount of $15,580. Then Lawyer Hirsch began to ask questions.

Q. Please tell your age.

A. What has that to do with the case? Everybody knows my age.

Q. But I am one of the unfortunates who don't know.

A. I was 70 years old on the 25th of last month.

Q. How is your general health?

A. What does that matter?

Q. It may be very material in showing the prospects of your son.

A. My health is excellent.

A letter was placed before him, but he turned his head away.

Q. Do you mean to be insulting, Mr. Cameron?

A. No, I don't.

Q. Allow me to inform you that you are insulting, whether you mean to be or not. Will you look at this writing?

Sir Roderick moved away again, but said nothing.

Q. Now, Sir—Mr. Cameron, I direct you to look at this paper.

A. Sir, I am a gentleman, and I don't understand people of your class.

Sir Roderick said at one time he allowed his son nearly all the money he wanted, but afterward gave him $100 a month. He had written to Blumenstiel and Hirsch, offering to settle for 20 cents on the dollar, but said he withdrew it when he learned that Lewis had charged 1,000 per cent profit on the jewelry sold to his son.

While talking about his property Sir Roderick complained of the newspaper reporters.

"They are American citizens and have a right here," said Mr. Hirsch.

"America ought to be proud of some of her citizens," growled Sir Roderick.

Peter B. Olney, Sir Roderick's lawyer, asked about the scene in Mr. Hirsch's office last Thursday.

"You want to go into that, do you?" said Hirsch. "All right, I'll go into it."

By Mr. Olney: Q. Why didn't the examination go on last Thursday?

A. Because Mr. Hirsch was so very offensive that it resulted in a postponement.

By Mr. Hirsch: Q. You swear to this, do you?

A. I swear to it to the best of my knowledge and belief, as all honest men do.

Q. Didn't you say in my office in a melodramatic manner: "I'll get even with you?"

A. No, sir; it is absolutely false—wholly untrue.

Sir Roderick sprang to his feet. Mr. Olney got up, and so did Mr. Hirsch, and all talked. One of them said that it looked like a personal encounter, and Mr. Hirsch said he could look out for himself. Then he turned to Sir Roderick.

"I'm through with you, Mr. Cameron; take your seat; sit down."

Mr. Hirsch announced an adjournment for a week.

A FANCIED GRIEVANCE.

Reason Why John Oram Killed Joseph Conlon in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 11.—John Oram, an ex-fireman, said to be one of the survivors of the fatal cold storage fire at the World's Fair, shot and killed Joseph Conlon in front of the latter's home, 394 Austin avenue, abut midnight last night. The cause of the shooting, it appears, was an imaginary grievance which Oram had against his victim. The only witness to the affair was Miss Agnes Conlon. She said her brother was sitting on the front steps of their house when Oram and his wife passed. Oram stopped and talked to her brother. The conversation became loud after a few minutes, when suddenly she heard Oram say: "Joe, if you don't leave me alone I will kill you." The next moment Oram pulled a revolver and fired three shots in quick succession. Only one of the bullets took effect and struck Conlon in the left breast. He fell to the ground and died in a few minutes.

LAFAYETTE'S TREE.

Split in Two by Lightning During a Rhode Island Thunderstorm.

SCITUATE, R.I., Sept. 11.—One of the most terrible thunder storms experienced in many years has just visited this section and $5,000 worth of property has been destroyed in the neighborhood of the former home of ex-Congressman Charles H. Page. The famous Gen. Lafayette tree was split in two. The tree is the only historical one in Rhode Island, and is the one under which the General ate his dinner while the Continental troops were marching from Rhode Island to Connecticut.

AUTHOR OF "TWIN HELLS."

Death of a Man in Kansas Who Has Been Preacher, Editor and Jail Bird.

ABILENE, Kan., Sept. 11.—John Reynolds, former preacher-editor, is dead at the Ossawatomie Insane Asylum, where he has been in confinement for two years. Reynolds came to Kansas ten years ago as a preacher from Iowa, where he had been sent to the penitentiary for rape. In Kansas he drifted from evangelist to money shark, starting two swindling insurance companies, and was sent to the penitentiary for a couple of years. In prison he wrote a book called the "Twin Hells," which he afterwards traveled all over the country selling. He had a mania for preaching and had to be gagged to keep him from exhausting his physical powers by talking.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething gives quiet, helpful rest.

Preachers and Secret Societies.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 11.—At a meeting of the Pittsburg synod of the General Council of the English Lutheran Church, which has just ended, a sensational move was made against a Youngstown Lutheran minister, the Rev. H. W. Tope. An attempt was made to enforce the clause of the church constitution, which provides that no minister of that church shall be a member of a secret society which is "unchristian or indifelle in its tendencies."

The attempt to enforce was a failure because a majority of the ministers were themselves members of secret societies.

The Rev. Mr. Tope belongs to four and says he will so continue until convinced that he is wrong.

For Sick Headache
Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate.
It removes the cause by stimulating the action of the stomach, promoting digestion and quieting the nerves.

Murdered by Indians.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 11.—A family Owings, who is wanted in Jasper County, known as the Mussel Beds, on the beach near Las Flores. The family consisted of J. D. Borden, his daughter and son-in-law named Stiles and their child. The constable at Oceanside has received a message from Stiles that his wife, child and father-in-law had been murdered. The message was very brief, but it said that upon returning from a hunting trip he found the bodies of his murdered family in camp. It is surmised to be the work of Indians.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

DREADS A STORM.

A Woman Who Suffers Strangely From Electricity.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SPARROW, Pa., Sept. 11.—Physicians are puzzled over the strange case of Mrs. Archibald Rankin, an elderly woman residing two miles east of Sharon. Eight or ten years ago, during a storm, she suffered a severe electrical shock and for two months thereafter she appeared to be at the point of death. Ever since then she has been peculiarly susceptible to electricity, and has suffered from thirty distinct shocks.

Mrs. Rankin and her children are in terror whenever a storm comes up and a saddle horse is always kept in readiness to carry a messenger to Sharon for a physician. When during a storm a mounted man is seen scurrying through the streets of Sharon the people take it as a sign that Mrs. Rankin has been shocked again. She has been provided with a chair resting on glass insulators, and in this she always takes her seat at the approach of a storm. Mrs. Rankin was visiting a neighbor Sunday when a storm came up. She immediately hastened toward home, but before she could reach it she suffered a severe shock that paralyzed her left side. It is thought that she cannot recover.

On several occasions when Mrs. Rankin has suffered from the electric fluid the house has been damaged, but strangely enough none of the other inmates have ever been injured.

LANGTRY'S DIVORCE.

If It Happens at All It Will Happen on the West Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 11.—Dunn & McPike, the San Francisco attorneys of Mrs. Langtry, place little credence in the statement from New York that the actress has begun suit for divorce. Mr. Dunn says that divorce proceedings, if instituted by Mrs. Langtry, would be entered here and not in New York, as Mrs. Langtry had established a residence in Lake County for several years past. The firm has received no instructions as yet. If a suit is brought, the complaint would be filed in the Superior Court.

"It will be Mr. Langtry's privilege, of course," continued Mr. Dunn, "if he contests the application for divorce, to demand, if he so desires, a transfer of the suit to the Federal courts, he being a foreigner and a non-resident."

Mr. Dunn says that under the residence established by her in Lake County she is qualified to enter suit for divorce in this State, and the papers received by Howe & Hummell of New York are possibly instructions, but he does not think any steps will be taken in the matter, if contemplated now, until Mrs. Langtry shall have concluded her present professional engagements.

CARS IN THE DITCH.

Three Coaches Derailed and a Young Lady Fatally Injured.

GLENWOOD, Minn., Sept. 11.—Train No. 107 on the Minneapolis, Sault Ste. Marie & Pacific Railway had a narrow escape from a terrible disaster between Belgrade and Brooten.

Miss Mary Brand of Casselton, N. D., it is feared, was fatally injured and ex-Senator Washburn received a severe wound in the head. The three rear coaches of the train were derailed, two of them rolling down an embankment into a ditch. The accident was precipitated by the breaking of the forward axle of the dining-car. Although Mr. Washburn's wound is an ugly one, he will recover. Miss Brand's arm is broken and her back injured and it is believed she has internal wounds of a serious nature. The colored porter also had his hand crushed and several others were injured, though not seriously. On the arrival of the train here, Senator Washburn and Miss Brand were taken to the Parker House, where physicians are attending them. The train had passed only four feet beyond a high bridge when the accident occurred.

A HUGE CRIMINAL.

A Forger 6 Feet 7 Inches High and Weighing 300 Pounds.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COULTERVILLE, Ill., Sept. 11.—Sheriff F. D. Waterman of Barrow, Wis., arrived here yesterday with a requisition paper from Gov. Altgeld for Henry L. Owens for forgery. He passed worthless checks here some two months ago on the Bank of Coulterville and Hammill Bros. Hammill Bros. traced him to Minneapolis, Minn., arrested him and brought him back, placing him in the Chester jail. The Grand-jury failed to indict him. When he arrived here Jesse McBride, constable, arrested him and held him until the Sheriff from Wisconsin arrived. They left on this morning's train for Barrow. Owens is 6 feet 7 inches high and his weight is about 300 pounds.

Cheap Home Seekers' Excursions.

On September 10 and 24 the Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets at very low rates to points in Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Utah, the Dakotas, Wyoming, Black Hills and other Western points. For particulars call at city ticket office, southwest corner Broadway and Olive street.

In the Ice Glen.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

STOCKBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 11.—The torchlight parade of 1895 through Ice Glen last night eclipsed all its predecessors. Everything was so perfectly planned that the affair passed off without any hitch or accident. All the young society women of the city appeared in the parade in fanciful costumes and masks. They commenced their scramble through the glen from the east end. The glen takes its name from the fact that ice remains in some parts of it the year around. Ice was found last night, just before they passed under the big rock near the mouth of Devil's Cave. The night was exceedingly dark, so that the effect of the red and green fire and the light from the hundred of torches was intensified as the procession wound through the glen.

Go to the Mountains
VIA THE BURLINGTON ROUTE.
The only line running solid through trains to Denver. Low rates to all Western resorts; also to the Pacific Coast and Alaska. Ticket office, S.W. cor. Broadway and Olive.

Cremating Garbage.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The experiment of cremating garbage has satisfied the projectors. At a daily expense of $16, 100 tons of the lighter garbage known to dustmen as "breeze" is reduced on an average to four tons. The "breeze" is used as fuel for the reduction of that garbage, which will not burn freely. Four thousand tons of light garbage are daily dumped into the ocean and the persons interested in this experimental reduction plant expect soon to stop this by the erection of plants in other parts of the city.

The Compartment Sleeping Cars on the Wabash
Night trains between St. Louis and Kansas City and St. Louis and Chicago, afford the traveler all the comforts and privacy of home.

Winslow on Bicycle Riding.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Dr. Forbes Winslow wishes to make a denial of a part of the statements upon the question of bicycling women attributed to him in an interview on Sept. 7. Dr. Winslow says that his remarks did not get beyond a statement that in his opinion in some cases bicyling was injurious to the health of women. He insists that he gave no expression of opinion as to the subject from a moral point of view.

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Saturday, Sept. 14, returning Monday, Sept. 16. Ticket Offices 100 North Fourth street and Union Station, St. Louis.

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Each Day at 9:30 A. M. and 2:15 P. M., making stops at Grand avenue, Vandeventer Station and Tower Grove.
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With Interest 6 Per Cent.
West Tower Grove is on the Frisco Railway, and is one block of the Missouri Pacific Railway; also in walking distance of the electric road now building. Three routes in town at cheap fares.
The large Brick Plant near employs a large number of men. The new $1,500,000 Tobacco and Cigarette Manufactory at Tower Grove Station, now being built, will enhance all building lots on the Frisco Railway, Missouri Pacific Railway and the new electric car line.
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Admission 15 Cents, Children 10 Cents.
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As One Woman To Another:

"Every Monday morning for two years I've used CLAIRETTE SOAP—always makes the clothes pure and white without hard rubbing—have my washing done by nine o'clock. This soap has never harmed the most delicate colors in my summer dresses, so it must be free from all acids. I do wish you would send down to the Grocer and get a cake to try on your next washing-day. You will find a perfect Laundry Soap. Sold everywhere. Made only by
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PREPARED TO DIE.

Coffin and Funeral Clothes Ordered by A Youth in Illinois.

PANA, Ill., Sept. 11.—April 8 William Bass disappeared. Monday his father, Elijah Bass, received a letter from him, saying he had forwarded his coffin and funeral clothes and that his corpse would be discovered near the house. Rev. Waltz received a letter asking him to preach the funeral sermon. At the time of his disappearance he took his father's cattle to Chicago and pocketed $1,600. He wandered about in the woods all Monday night and was discovered yesterday morning. He is evidently demented.

Treatment of Typhus Fever.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 11.—Eminent physicians and scientists here have proposed to the Superior Board of Health that typhus fever be treated by employing serum from the blood of typhus patients.

This proposition has aroused great interest among physicians. Typhus now prevails at Tuluca. The disease has been known on the Mexican table lands from the time of the Aztecs.

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LEGAL.

STATE of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss. In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis. Before the Clerk in vacation of the June term, 1895. Saturday, August 24, 1895. Henry T. Beauregard vs. 16944 Rose T. Beauregard, Laura B. Larendon, a minor, and Frank L. Harney, her curator.

It appearing from the affidavit this day filed herein that the defendants, Rose T. Beauregard and Laura B. Larendon, a minor, are not residents of the State of Missouri, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney, it is ordered that said defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree in partition of the following described real estate, in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the northwest corner of city block number eight hundred and thirty-five (835), where the southern line of Washington avenue is intersected by the eastern line of Thirteenth street; thence running eastwardly with the south line of Washington avenue fifty (50) feet and six (6) inches; thence southwardly one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the north line of St. Charles street; thence westwardly with the north line of St. Charles street fifty (50) feet and nine (9) inches to the east line of Thirteenth street; thence northwardly with the east line of Thirteenth street one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the point of beginning; being lots fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) in said city block number eight hundred and thirty-five (835); in accordance with the respective rights of the parties, and that or partition cannot be made in kind without great prejudice to the owners, that the said land may be ordered to be sold and the proceeds divided among said parties in proportion to their respective interests; and unless they appear at the term of the court to be begun and held at the City of St. Louis, on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the City of St. Louis.

A True Copy from the Record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, this 24th day of August, 1895.
(Seal of Court.) THOS. B. RODGERS, Clerk.
WALTER B. DOUGLAS, Attorney for Plaintiff. 4150

AUCTIONS.
SOMETHING NEW IN ST. LOUIS.
Many of our greatest manufacturers have an over-production of their wares. We are their agents for the rapid sale of this over-production, and will inaugurate
OUR FIRST SALE
To-Morrow, Thursday,
AT AUCTION
Without reserve or any thought of cost of production.
A special offering of Japanese Rugs—don't fail to see them.
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Fine Furniture,
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Pianos, etc.,
All go at auction. Don't fail to attend. Sale commences at 9 a. m.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution, issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, returnable to the October term, 1895, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of German-American Bank of St. Joseph, Missouri, a corporation, plaintiff, and against J. E. Hall and Elizabeth Hall, defendants, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the defendants above named, of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 4, in city block 834, on Washington avenue; lot 27, Benton place, and strip lying on the south side of said lot 74½ feet in depth and extending equal width from western boundary of Benton place to the center of private park, as laid down on plat of Benton place, filed of record in the Recorder's office, book 8, pages 29, and I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1895, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named defendants, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

HENRY TROLL,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 10, 1895. 4200

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution, issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, returnable to the October Term, 1895, of said Court, and to me directed, in favor of Laura B. Hastings, plaintiff, and against John B. Hennessey, Peter A. Rupa and Angelo Parate, defendants, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the defendants above named, of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit: Certain lot of ground in city block numbered forty-eight (48), beginning at the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Papin streets, thence westwardly along the south line of Papin street seventy-five feet one and a quarter inches, thence southwardly at right angles to Papin street one hundred and forty feet more or less, to a twenty foot alley, thence eastwardly along the south side of said alley seventy-two feet, more or less, to Fourteenth street, thence northwardly along the west side of Fourteenth street one hundred and forty feet more or less to the place of beginning; also lot number twenty-one of Forest Park Boulevard Subdivision and is city block No. 3019 east, fronting fifty feet on the north side of Forest Park Boulevard with a depth northwardly of one hundred and eighty-two feet and seven inches, more or less, to an alley; also a certain lot of ground in city block Number one hundred and thirty-six, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south line of Market street thirty-five feet east of the northeast corner of said block, running thence westwardly along the south line of said Market street twenty-eight feet, thence south and parallel with Ninth street one hundred and thirty-five feet to an alley, thence east along the line of said alley twenty-eight feet, thence north and parallel with Ninth street one hundred and thirty-five feet to the place of beginning; and I will, on Friday, the 4th day of October, 1895, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Courthouse, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named defendants of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

HENRY TROLL,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 10, 1895. 4200

ASSIGNEE'S Notice of Application for Discharge.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Louis Reehm that on Monday, the 7th day of October, 1895, at the opening of court, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, I shall apply to the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, for a discharge from my trust as assignee of Louis Reehm.

HENRY M. FURTH, Assignee.
B. GREENSFELDER AND A. C. F. MEYER, Attorneys. 4241

First and foremost feature of our Fall retailing is this fact—We are underselling all other St. Louis dealers in Boys' Clothing—conclusive proof for you in our goods and prices!

Fall Weight Reefers,
Were $5.
50 Child's Fine All-Wool Brown Cheviot Reefers—stylish—perfect fitting—4 to 10 year sizes—fully worth $5!
Now $2.19!
Were $7.
150 Fine Navy Blue—Brown—Gray—Red—Reefers—sizes 4 to 10 years—the greatest Reefer bargains ever known—for worth $7 they are—
Now $3.19!
Children's Fall Caps.
500 Cloth Hats and Caps—carried over from last season—but as good as ever in style—
Go at 10c, 25c, 35c and 50c!
Worth from twice to five times the money.
Ladies' Hosiery.
New department—just opened—entirely new stock—to attract attention to it—we make these wonderful drives:

Ladies' 18c Hose, Stainless, Fast Black, **At 10c!**
Ladies' 35c Hose, Stainless, Fast Black, **At 19c!**
Ladies' 75c Hose, Opera Length, Maco Yarn, **At 35c!**
Ladies' $1.00 Hose, Best Qualities, Fancy Tops, **At 69c!**
Men's Fall Suits
At $10, $12, $15 and $20
Some of the handsomest Scotch effects ever seen in this world now ready here—rich, exclusive styles—absolutely faultless in fit and finish—made from the very best selected cloths—in the latest modes—and quoted to you at prices positively without parallel—less than half tailor's prices!
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TO-DAY
BEST RACING OF THE SEASON. PURSES $300 to $600.
RACING BEGINS AT 2:15 O'CLOCK. Admission, including Grand Stand, $1.00.

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FRAMING AND GILDING.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution, issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, returnable to the October term, 1895, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of M. P. Smith, plaintiff, and against M. J. Edwards, defendant, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the defendant above named, of in and to the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 18, in block 14, in the Lucas Place Tract Addition of the City of St. Louis, being in city block number 2065, said lot having a front of 25 feet on the south side of Hunt avenue; also a rectangular corner lot in same block, and in said city and State, having a front of 55 feet on the west side of Tower Grove avenue, by a front of 50 feet, on the south side of Hunt avenue; and I will on

FRIDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1895, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

HENRY TROLL,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Sept. 10, 1895. 4200

STATE of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss. In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis. Laura Burton vs. (19 Oct. T. 195) Oliver Burton.

It appearing to the court from the affidavit this day filed herein that the defendant has abandoned and absented himself from his usual place of abode in this State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, and that plaintiff does not know the present whereabouts of defendant, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between said parties and for the custody of the minor children of said parties, on the ground that said defendant has offered to plaintiff such indignities as to render her condition intolerable, has left plaintiff without support and in want of the necessaries of life, is utterly and almost wholly unprovided for by him, and used language towards plaintiff in the presence of others disparaging to her character as a virtuous woman, and that defendant for the past three years has been in habitual drunkenness; and unless he appear at the term of court to be begun and held at the City of St. Louis, on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof, answer the petition of plaintiff, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the City of St. Louis.

A True Copy from the Record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, this 19th day of August, 1895.
(Seal of Court.) THOS. B. RODGERS, Clerk.
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AMUSEMENTS.
HAVLIN'S TO-NIGHT. Prices—15, 25, 35, 50c
MATINEE TO-MORROW, BEST SEATS, 35c.
A Play for the Ladies and Children, THE DEFAULTER
Sunday Matinee—"Birds of a Feather."

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Mr. Lawrence Hanley
And his own company in a delightful, popular and alluring entertainment, combining ONE HOUR WITH SHAKESPEARE, entitled THE PLAYER.
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TRILBY
MONDAY, SEPT. 16—Daniel Frohman's Company, from Lyceum Theatre, New York.
THE SUBURBAN
The Event of the Season.
On Friday, September 13,
BEAUTIFUL SOUVENIRS!
Will be given away celebrating the 500th performance of RICE'S MINSTRELS. The Souvenirs were designed and made by the MERROD-JAGGARD JEWELRY CO.

NOTICE of John H. Freitag, Deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John H. Freitag, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 19th day of August, 1895. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1895.

LINA FREITAG,
4211 Executrix of John H. Freitag, Deceased.

DOES NOT CATER TO NEW ORLEANS.

Presiding Judge Pettus of the Fair Grounds Speaks.

HE RESENTS INSINUATIONS.

The Judge Explains Why the Good Horses Do Not Race and Says Owners Are Satisfied.

The following statement was sent out from the Fair Grounds this morning by Presiding Judge C. C. Pettus:

The statement in a morning paper that the owners of the best horses at the track are leaving on account of the unsatisfactory conditions of the programme are erroneous in every particular.

Green Morris came up to Capt. Williams and myself yesterday afternoon and assured me that he was well pleased and satisfied with everything here; that he was only going to race two weeks at Oakley on account of stake engagements and then was coming back here to race in October at the Fair Grounds. He was not going to Latonia, as he preferred both the track and management here.

W. J. Spiers said this morning that he is not going to Oakley, but will stay right here and that he was well satisfied with the programme, and the other horsemen here, if any one cares to take the trouble to ask them, will say the same. Any one knows that the best horses here and everywhere else dodge one another; that race after race has been declared off here lately which let in the best horses on favorable terms, but they could not be forced to meet one another, and that the racing here to-day, from a quality standpoint, is better than at any place in the country outside of New York.

As to the insinuation that New Orleans horses are catered to here, it is beneath notice from its mere absurdity. I have no intention of going to New Orleans this winter. That track has an agent here, Harry White, who looks after all its interests.

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Barney Schreiber is anxious to secure possession of Brown & Carmichael's good 2-year-old Exile filly Forget, and he may buy her to-day. Schreiber took a great fancy to the colt after the red-hot argument she gave his great California bred colt, Don Carillo. When he heard that Schreiber was anxious to get the filly Carmichael asked Barney what he would give for her.

COMMODORE HICKMAN'S EVELYN.

(A probable winner in the St. Louis Yacht Club regatta Saturday.)

Schreiber named his figure, and added that if it was satisfactory, Carmichael could go behind his (Schreiber's) book and get the money then and there. Carmichael, however, concluded to consult with his partners before disposing of Forget. Schreiber will be notified to-day whether or not his offer for the filly is acceptable.

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For decision at the San Francisco Bay District Track during the winter meeting, beginning Oct. 26, 1895, the California Jockey Club has opened twenty-two stakes, with entries to close on Oct. 25. Five of the fixtures are for 2-year-olds, one for 2 and 3-year-olds, two for 3-year-olds, six for all ages, three for 3-year-olds and upward, and five for hurdlers and steeplechasers. All the stakes are guaranteed in value, and range from $1,000 to $7,500, the Burns handicap at one and one-quarter miles being the star event. The entrance to each stake is only $10, with starting fees from $20 to $40 additional. These fixtures alone are worth $42,300. President Williams announced officially that racing will continue without intermission, until late in the spring, at least five days each week.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The committee appointed by the stewards of the Jockey Club to consider the applications of the Brighton Beach Association and Queen's County Jockey Club for additional racing dates met at the Coney Island Jockey Club course and alloted the following dates: Brighton Beach Association, Septs. 16, 18, 25 and 27; Queen's County Jockey Club, Oct. 2, 4, 9, 11 and 14. Friday, Sept. 20, will also be assigned to the Brighton Beach Association, provided the Brooklyn Jockey Club decides not to race on that day.

Another Victory for Sir Visto.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The race for the St. Leger stakes at the Doncaster meeting today was won by Sir Visto, owned by Lord Rosebery. Sir Visto was the winner of the Derby this year.

Results at the Tracks.

FAIR GROUNDS—The winners: Nellie H., Don Carillo, Miss Galop, Oregon Eclipse, Blue and White, Magnet.

AT SHEEPSHEAD—The winners: Helen Nichols, Margrave, Buckrene, Requital, Redskin, Langdon.

LOUISVILLE—The winners: Amazement, Alethia Allen, Jane, Motilla, Evanatus.

Track Talk.

Barney Schreiber's cast-off Semelee was among the winners at Council Bluffs Tuesday.

Fred Foster bet $300 at evens on Sullross, and Dan Honig bet the same amount on Magnet at 3 to 5.

Pat Grogan, Mike Kenefick's partner, who has been sick for a few days, was up and around again Tuesday.

The Linda-O'Connell and Charlie McDonald-Cicely races on Tuesday's card should prove interesting.

Look in to-night's Post-Dispatch sporting extra for the result of the Navarre-Rey El Santa Anita-Domino race at Sheepshead Bay.

Dave Gideon offered $10,000 for the great California bred 2-year-old Crescendo, a few days ago.

Requittal defeated Ben Brush and Crescendo for the Flatbush stakes, covering the route, seven furlongs, in 1:26.

In the pooling at Louisville last night, on the big three-cornered special, Henry of Navarre sold for $25, Rel El Santa Anita $12 and Domino $8.

The runners and harness horses are performing to empty benches at Louisville. Only 600 people were at Churchill Downs Tuesday, while there were but 1,200 out to see the trotters and pacers.

Billy S. and Hartford are the worst "dogs" in Dan Honig's stable. Honig ought to be tired feeding them by this time. Billy S. ran last in his race Tuesday.

Marcus Cartwright did not overlook Oregan Eclipse and profited heavily in consequence.

Lelhy's old sprinter used to be one of the speediest six-furlong horse in the West. When he is good, Oregon Eclipse can run in 1:14.

With the great weight allowances which they get from the older horses, good 2-year-olds are dangerous in the fall. The decisive manner in which Utopia defeated such good sprinters as Miss Howett, Pisarroon and Dorah Wood illustrates this fact.

TEBEAU IS CONFIDENT.

The Cleveland Captain Still Thinks His Team Will Finish First.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 11.—Outfielder Blake, of the Cleveland Club, was so badly injured at Baltimore that he will hardly be able to play again this season. George Tebeau will cover right field in his place. Before he left Baltimore Pat Tebeau, the plucky manager and captain of the Spiders, said to an Oriole rooter:

"We'll win the pennant and you'll have to dig for second place."

As to the Temple cup Tebeau said: "That talk of President Hart reminds me of the story of the fox and the grapes. In his protest against the Temple cup series he makes a strong argument in favor of it, as he points out how fiercely all the clubs have played for a chance to get a slice at the good things in the Temple cup series. The series will be played all right, and if Cleveland comes to the front or is second, with Baltimore first, there will be no trouble about adjustment of the division of the proceeds.

"What makes me think we will win the pennant is the fact that we have the good things ahead of us and the Orioles will have hard nuts to crack."

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The Baltimores took the rubber in the series with Cleveland, thereby giving the Orioles a long lead over the Spiders, but this may be overcome by Pat Tebeau's boys within the next week. Baltimore is scheduled to meet the stronger clubs for the remainder of the season, while Cleveland goes against the weaker ones. Baltimore next meets Brooklyn and Boston and Cleveland plays with St. Louis and Cincinnati. It is true that later on the Orioles will have an easy time with New York and Cleveland somewhat of a struggle with Pittsburg, but at the windup Baltimore meets the strong Philadelphia team and Cleveland the Chicagos. The Spiders have a good chance to win, after all.

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The Browns seem to be like the proverbial policeman—never around when wanted, but on the spot when not needed. In Boston Chris' boys put up three excellent games and lost one of them. It was a surprise to the Boston rooters and a pleasant one to the St. Louis fans, for no matter how much disgust be shown when the Browns are losing, every one is jubilant when they win. The St. Louis team is playing better ball now than it ever did before. The boys played a close game with Philadelphia, and took two out of three from Boston, and even in the games which they lost there was much to be commended. If the Browns keep up the streak they have now started they will, even at this late date, win back the hearts of the fans.

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Four clubs will visit St. Louis before the season closes, and two of them are first division clubs. The Clevelands will play Friday, Saturday and Sunday and it is safe to say every fan in the city will see the probable champions in one of those games, and there will be satisfaction no matter which way the game goes. Of course, St. Louisans will be glad to see the Browns beat the Spiders, but if they do not, it is one more point for the West against the East. Pittsburg is the other first division club, and Chicago and Cincinnati will be visitors. The Browns will play in Louisville Sept. 16, 17 and 18.

CAPT. PAT TEBEAU.

IN THE FIRST.

The Browns Won the Rubber From Boston in One Inning.

The Browns made the Boston rooters a sorry lot by capturing the rubber with the Beaneaters in Tuesday's game. They won the game in the first inning by hammering out a triple, a double and two singles. Stockdale was knocked out of the box. The score:

Innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Browns	5	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0—9
Boston	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—4

Batteries—Kissinger and Peltz; Stockdale, Stivetts, Tenny and Gansel. Hits—Browns, 13; Boston, 8. Errors—Browns, 1; Boston, 2.

Other Games.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 6; Cleveland, 1. Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Cuppy and Zimmer. Hits—Baltimore, 7; Cleveland, 1. Errors—Baltimore, 6; Cleveland, 5.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 11; Louisville, 5. Batteries—Orth and Clements; McFarland and Warner. Hits—Philadelphia, 24; Louisville, 12. Errors—Philadelphia, 2; Louisville, 2.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 2; Cincinnati, 1. Batteries—Daub and Grim; Dwyer and Vaughn. Hits—Brooklyn, 6; Cincinnati, 5. Errors—Brooklyn, 1; Cincinnati, 3.

At New York—First Game—New York, 2; Chicago, 13. Batteries—Rusie, German and Farrell; Friend and Donohue. Hits—New York, 6; Chicago, 15. Errors—New York, 3; Chicago, 1.

Second Game—New York, 6; Chicago, 8. Batteries—Meekin and Wilson; Parker and Kittredge. Hits—New York, 13; Chicago, 12. Errors—New York, 5; Chicago, 3.

How They Stand.

	Games played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Baltimore	111	73	38	.658
Cleveland	110	74	40	.627
Philadelphia	115	69	46	.600
Brooklyn	114	64	50	.561
Boston	112	62	50	.554
Pittsburg	118	63	55	.534
New York	116	61	54	.530
Chicago	116	61	55	.526
Cincinnati	119	59	60	.496
Washington	108	34	74	.314
St. Louis	115	36	79	.313
Louisville	116	30	86	.259

Where They Play.

Brooklyn at Baltimore.
Boston at New York.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.

Base Ball Notes.

What's the matter with Hawley? Oh, he's all—knocked out.—Pittsburg Leader.

The Kansas City club will close the season $15,000 ahead. Not bad for a Western league club.

Fifty-four league players have batting averages about .300. Only two—Burkett and Clements—go above .400.

Burkett is regarded by Pat Tebeau as the best batsman in the world. His gauging of a ball coming toward him is almost perfect.

There are now two Donahues in the National League. Chicago has the catcher and St. Louis the pitcher.

In the last game between Philadelphia and St. Louis Ehret fouled ten balls over the fence in the last inning before he got his base on balls. Four were new ones that never came back.

The Louisville club, which will finish absolutely last in the championship race, is said to have made $10,000 this season. Every club in the league is credited with having a profitable year.

THE 1896 CYCLE SHOW.

Boston and St. Louis Firms Have Already Made Application for Space.

Some of the St. Louis dealers, who were late in entering the cycle show, given by the Associated Cycling Clubs last February, are taking time by the forelock this year and sending in applications for space now, although the next show is six months off. One of the applicants is a Boston concern and another a prominent St. Louis cycle agent.

No arrangements have even been planned for the 1896 show but Secretary Laing has placed the applications on file and those who enter this early will receive greatest consideration from A. C. C.

WHEELS AT THE EXPO.

Thursday Evening Will Be Wheelmen's Night at the Great Institution.

Thursday evening will be "Wheelmen's Night" at the Exposition and the Associated Cycling Club, acting in conjunction with the Exposition management, have completed the details of a fine entertainment. Every wheelman who attends in cycling costume will be presented with a souvenir, and cycle music will predominate. Secretary-Treasurer W. M. Butler of the L. A. W. will be on hand to look after the interests of League members.

Wheels will be stored in front of the building and the souvenir stand will be in front of the Music Hall doors. Whistles will not be allowed, and all cyclists are requested to leave them at home.

ANOTHER UNFORTUNATE.

John Weaver Reports the Loss of His Bicycle Monday Evening.

The latest unfortunate cyclist to lose his wheel by theft is John Weaver, a member of the St. Louis Cycling Club. Mr. Weaver left his bicycle at Garrison avenue and Olive street Monday evening and when he went to look for it some one had quietly taken it away. Cyclists and dealers are requested to look out for it. The following is the description:

Rambler, model 8, No. 15,816; G. & J. tires, with M. W. inner tube; G. & J. saddle; copper-plated steel rims; rubber pedals; drop handle bar. Information to John Weaver, 1728 Olive street.

WANTS TO BE LET IN.

Fitzsimmons Wants a Share of the Receipts From Privileges.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 11.—The Inter Ocean this morning prints a story in which it is said that Fitzsimmons has declared that he will refuse to meet Champion Corbett in Dallas unless he is "let in" on certain concessions on which he believes a large sum of money will be realized. It is said that he accuses Brady, Corbett, Joe Vendig and Stewart, of Dallas, with gobbling up everything in sight, from the lemonade stand to the eidoloscope, with which it is intended to reproduce the fight throughout the country. It is the latter concession that Bob is especially jealous of, and it is said that he has made a formal demand for a percentage of the profits of it, otherwise he declares there will be no fight.

Sporting Notes.

George Huff has been engaged to coach the Illinois University football team this year.

E. E. Anderson has been suspended for sixty days by Chairman Gideon for not appearing at the Fort Worth races after entering.

A movement is on foot to organize all military cyclers into one monster association. The headquarters are in New York.

The Chief of Police of New Orleans has mounted some of his men on bicycles.

A New Enterprise in St. Louis.

Eastern manufacturers the past year have overproduced their wares, and as the only outlet, for the disposition of them is through an auction sale, R. Aarons & Co. have opened a mammoth auction house at 812 Olive street, one of the large stores in the Fagin Building, opposite the Postoffice, for the special sale of this kind of goods.

On Thursday, September 12th, this concern inaugurates their first auction sale of magnificent and costly bric-a-brac, Japanese and Oriental ware, and rugs, fine pianos, elegant tapestries, beautiful oil paintings, and superb furniture. All of these goods have been consigned to Aarons & Co. for rapid disposition, and they will be sold at auction without reason or thought of profit.

Housekeepers and buyers in general will find ample opportunities at the daily auction sales of this establishment, to pick up genuine bargains. St. Louis has never had a permanent institution of this character, and it goes without saying that Aarons & Co. will be eminently successful in their venture.

IMPATIENCE AND A PISTOL.

Murder of a Georgian While Ministering to a Sick Friend.

MARSHALLVILLE, Ga., Sept. 11.—Jim Williams, who had been out drinking with Jim Rice and Frank Oliver, stopped to see a sick friend, J. E. Haseleam, leaving the others outside. Rice became impatient and, with Oliver's pistol, entered the house and blew Williams' brains out. The murdered man fell over the invalid and expired. Rice escaped.

Cheap Home Seekers' Excursion.

On Sept. 24 the Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets at very low rates to points in Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Utah, the Dakotas, Wyoming, Black Hills and other Western points. For particulars call at city ticket office, southwest corner Broadway and Olive street.

Killed While Hunting.

CHARLESTON, Mo., Sept. 11.—Charles Warren, of Fulton, Ky., while hunting, was accidentally killed by one of his companions.

THE COPELAND CURES $1000. FORFEIT SERIES.

There is a charm that is almost magical about the story of recovered health. Sick people, suffering from hopelessness and discouragement, as much as from disease, read such stories with avidity, but the question always arises: "Is it true? Can it be depended upon?" Dr. Copeland, whose wonderful cures are talked about in every neighborhood in St. Louis, has always contended that the truth of his reported cures could be depended on, because the name, address and portrait of the cured patient were presented with each testimonial.

However, to settle, beyond the peradventure of a doubt, the question whether or not the Copeland cures can be depended upon as true, Dr. Copeland makes this interesting offer to our readers: He will pay $1,000 to any one furnishing proof that any testimonial published by him is false or untrue.

This alone will help make these wonderful stories interesting. Read them and recollect that there is $1,000 forfeit on the truth of each.

$1,000 FORFEIT CURE OF STOMACH DISEASE.

Mr. C. C. Lloyd of 3446 Virginia avenue says: "A year ago I was a wreck. My friends and neighbors even now marvel at the change in me. They can't understand it, for last fall I was not expected to live. I didn't expect to live myself, and many a time I would exclaim, 'I wish I was dead,' and I meant it, too.

"My weight is 150 pounds. I then weighed 115.

"I had a stomach trouble so serious that it is even now a wonder that I lived at all. I vomited every time I swallowed food, and if perchance the food would remain in the stomach it would lie there like a lump of iron as big as my two fists. It was all day that I retched and vomited, and all night as well. I would raise great quantities of mucus—where it came from, I never could understand. My stomach was so sore to the touch that I couldn't stand the least pressure on it.

"It was in the latter part of December that I went to see Drs. Copeland and Thompson. I had read of them in the newspapers, but I had been told by lots of people around here that they could cure me. Mrs. J. Mehl, who lives across the way, was a patient of theirs and spoke very highly of them. I could barely get to their office, but I made the effort. They told me I had catarrh of the stomach and placed me under treatment.

"It wasn't a week before I began to feel that their medicines were taking hold of me. In a month I was doing work around the house, and in two months I was again at my business.

"Now, sir, I can do more work, can eat heartier and sleep sounder than I have been able to in the past five years. I have just finished building six houses. I am as strong and well as I was at 21. All this I owe to Drs. Copeland and Thompson, and I say that their treatment was wonderful and I wouldn't be here to-day if it hadn't been for their skill and ability."

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

Catarrh of the stomach is generally caused by swallowing poisonous mucus which drops down from the head and throat while you are asleep.

"Is the face flushed?"
"Do you belch up gas?"
"Is your tongue coated?"
"Is your tongue cracked?"
"Do you hawk up phlegm?"
"Are your bowels irregular?"
"Do you suffer from nausea?"
"Do you belch up your food?"
"Are you drowsy after meals?"
"Is your flesh soft and flabby?"
"Do you have sick headaches?"
"Is your tongue sore or furred?"
"Are your hands and feet cold?"
"Do you at times have diarrhoea?"
"Do you feel bloated after eating?"
"Are you bloated up in the bowels?"
"Have you rumbling in the bowels?"
"Have you palpitation of the heart?"
"Has your eyesight become blurred?"
"Do you spit up your food or vomit?"
"Do you have rush of blood to the head?"
"Do you feel languid in the morning?"
"Do you have pain just after eating?"
"Do you have pain in pit of stomach?"
"Does sight of breakfast disgust you?"
"Does saliva in mouth feel slimy?"
"Do you raise watery fluid in the throat?"
"Have you chilly and then hot flushes?"
"Have you a desire for improper food?"
"Is sour or sweet taste in the mouth?"
"Have you always bad taste in mouth?"
"Gnawing sensation in stomach?"
"Does stomach feel full when empty?"
"Feel as if you had lead in stomach?"
"Feel faint when stomach is empty?"
"See specks floating before your eyes?"
"Feeling of emptiness in morning?"
"Have you a burning in back part of throat called heartburn?"

These conditions are cured speedily and inexpensively by the Copeland System of treatment.

"They who are well need not a physician, but they who are sick."

$1,000 FORFEIT CURE OF BRONCHIAL DISEASE.

The following statement was made by Mr. S. D. Bridges, yardmaster of the "Big Four" R. R. in East St. Louis. He lives at 820 N. First, East St. Louis, and he or his wife will gladly furnish additional facts if desired.

"From the time I was 17 I was a sufferer from catarrh of the head and throat. About five years ago the disease struck into the air passages of the chest and I soon took on the appearance of a consumptive. No one knows how I suffered. I used to have such pains in the chest that I was almost doubled over. The only way I could sleep would be to lock my two arms together over my chest and if they would loosen I would wake up, for dropping down they would cause a pain in the chest like a knife stab. I coughed incessantly and brought up quantities of heavy mucus. I had night sweats. I got thin and emaciated and my friends came to the conclusion that I was going to die.

"One night when I was at a lodge meeting, L. M. Johnson, an engineer on the 'Van,' told me he had had the same trouble and that he was cured by a firm of specialists over in the Odd Fellows' Building, named Drs. Copeland and Thompson. He kept at me until I went over there. I did go over there, and in six months I was cured. I gained 50 pounds and was rid entirely and forever of all my catarrhal trouble. Now, recollect, I had been sick for 15 years. Never found any relief, and when these specialists cured me I could hardly believe my senses.

"Ask anyone in East St. Louis about it. They'll all tell you the same thing. I was expected to die of consumption and I was changed into as strong and healthy a man as breathes the air to-day."

DISEASE OF THE BRONCHIAL TUBES.

When catarrh of the head and throat is left unchecked it extends down the windpipe into the bronchial tubes, and in time attacks the lungs and develops into catarrhal consumption.

"Do you cough at night?"
"Have you pain in side?"
"Have you a loose cough?"
"Do you take cold easily?"
"Are you getting thinner?"
"Is your breathing too quick?"
"Do you cough until you gag?"
"Do you hawk and spit much?"
"Do you raise frothy material?"
"Do you spit up yellow matter?"
"Is your voice, hoarse and husky?"
"Have you a dry, hacking cough?"
"Do you feel worn out on arising?"
"Do you feel all stuffed up inside?"
"Does the cough keep you awake?"
"Is there a burning pain in throat?"
"Is your appetite gradually failing?"
"Are you gradually losing strength?"
"Have you a pain behind breast bone?"
"Is there soreness behind chest bone?"
"Do you sit up at night to get breath?"
"Have you a sense of weight on chest?"
"Do you want to swallow all the time?"
"Have you a scratchy feeling in throat?"
"Cough worse night and morning?"
"Get short of breath when walking?"
"Is chest sore from coughing?"
"A constant tickling in your throat?"
"Do you wake with throat dry and parched?"
"Do you have a fit of coughing as soon as you get out of bed in the morning?"
"Do you raise little cheesy lumps which give out a bad odor when pressed between the fingers?"

If you have these symptoms or many of them, you have bronchial catarrh, which is the danger signal for catarrhal consumption. The treatment that cures this condition is the Copeland treatment.

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It matters not how far you may live from St. Louis, or how near you are to the city you can get by mail a close, careful and scientific treatment of your case. Write for symptom blank. Your request will be immediately attended to, as both physicians give devoted attention to the mail practice.

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BARTENDER—Situation by an experienced bartender; reference can give. Address K 549, this office.

BUTCHER—Young man of 19, not afraid of work, would like to learn the butcher business; wages no object. D. M. Reese, 1539 Papin st.

BOY—Boy, 16, wants to work for board and go to school. Call or address 1904 Coleman st.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, to work evenings, experienced bookkeeper; best city refs. Add. T 545, this office.

CLERK—Hustling young man wants a position in some wholesale business; best references. Address N 550, this office.

CARPENTER—Wants jobbing; will work for $1.25 a day or by the job; good workman. Add. G 546, this office.

COACHMAN—Wanted situation as coachman; English; first-class man; good references. Add. F 550, this office.

COLLECTOR—Situation wanted by young man as collector; can give bond if required. 1437 Franklin av.

CARPENTER—Sit. by carpenter to take charge of building or some institute; city ref. given. Add. N 548, this office.

DRIVER—Experienced driver, aged 28, wants work of any kind; well acquainted with city and depots. Add. H 551, this office.

FIREMAN—Wanted situation as fireman in or out of city by young man of good habits; can come on short notice. Add. F. E., Mulberry Grove, Ill.

FIREMAN—Wanted, situation as fireman or oiler, or any kind of honest labor. Add. H. A. Williamson, 4319 N. 2d st.

JAPANER—An experienced Japaner and ornamenter wants position; can also attend to shipping. Add. M 549, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation by young man in office; experienced in billing and familiar with bookkeeping and typewriting; best of refs.; willing to work. Add. N 549, this office.

MAN—Sober, reliable, wants permanent home situation; experienced with horses, cows, gardens, flowers, furnaces, etc.; best St. Louis references. Address M 551, this office.

MAN—Young man wants place in city or suburbs to attend horses and work about place; good milker; steady, reliable man. Add. N 546, this office.

MAN—Young man of 17 wishes place in an office or wholesale house; good refs; steady and reliable. Add. L 551, this office.

MAN—Situation wanted by a young man; wholesale house preferred. Add. O 546, this office.

MAN—Situation by elderly man, sober and reliable, to work around house, office, store, etc.; low wages. Add. O 546, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation by young man with experience, fair penman, speaks English and German; best of recommendations. Add. A 550, this office.

MAN—Young man, aged 19, with four years' experience in shoe business, wishes situation. Add. W 549, this office.

MAN—Young married man wants steady position; well educated; wages no object if chance to improve. W. Hughes, 3438 Texas av.

MAN—Wanted, position by a married man in any capacity that will assure himself and family a living; is a practical bookkeeper and good salesman; permanent position of greater importance than large salary; city refs. Add. K 551, this office.

MAN—All-round office man, good accountant, competent to assist on books, bill clerk, able to do stenographic work, wishes position with good house; references. Address K 548, this office.

PORTER—Young colored man wishes work as porter or in private family; Southern raised; good worker. Add. P 546, this office.

PAINTER—Wanted, situation by painter of 28 years' experience; oil, Japan or water colors; fine sign writer and paper hanger; can handle men. Painter, 317 S. 4th st.

STUDENT—Wanted, medical student wishes employment to defray expenses attending college; office work or chores; best refs. Add. T 550, this office.

STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, by young man position as stenographer; willing to make himself generally useful; can furnish refs. Add. B 548, this office.

A LITTLE AD., WELL SAID,

Often pays better than a big one. Paramore writes little and big. 419 N. 4th st.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

APPRENTICES WANTED—Apprentices to learn barber trade; only 8 weeks required; good job guaranteed; catalogue. St. Louis Barber College, 819 N. 9th st.

BOY WANTED—A stout colored boy for housework; references. 110 N. 23d st.

BOYS WANTED—Two large boys, 15 years old. Inquire at Globe Furniture Co., in rear.

BOY WANTED—About 18, for light delivery wagon; must come well recommended. 815 and 817 N. 17th st.

BOY WANTED—A boy to deliver orders for a meat market. 2361 Market st.

BOYS WANTED—Strong boys, used to house painting. Delmar and Goodfellow avs.

BLOCKMAN WANTED—Blockman and good granitoid finisher on Labadie av., betweeen Vinegrove and Lamdin av.

FREE treatment for all diseases at Franklin Avenue Free Dispensary. 1214 Franklin av.

FOREMAN WANTED—Experienced foreman for linseed oil mill. Apply by mail only, with refs., to Hugh Rodgers, 220 Pine st.

FOREMAN WANTED—Granitoid foreman and finisher for curb and gutter. Call on work at Taylor and Evans avs. A. K. Terry & Co.

FIREMAN WANTED—Experienced fireman. Goodwin Mfg. Co., 3332 Chouteau av.

FOREMAN WANTED—A competent foreman to take charge of the largest tent, flag and awning shop in Chicago; must be a hustler and a man of good habits; a steady position and good salary await the right man; write, stating qualifications and experience. Address Tents and Flags, 206 S. Water st., Chicago.

HOUSEMAN WANTED—Apply at St. James Hotel.

MAN WANTED—A young man to keep a building clean and assist in the house; only such who want to work and desire steady employment need apply at 214 N. 21st st., between Olive and Pine.

MAN WANTED—A good man to work at a dairy; must know how to milk. Apply, with references, at saloon, 609 Penn av.

MOLDER WANTED—First-class moulder. Aetna Iron-works, 21st and Papin sts.

MEN WANTED—Ten men on Boyle and Westminster pl. Mahoney.

MEN WANTED—Operators to work on shop coats; highest wages paid and steady work. 1425 Morgan st., upstairs.

MAN WANTED—Young man for assistant bookkeeper, bill clerk and collector; state age, references and salary expected. Add. B 551, this office.

MEN WANTED—Ten men on Taylor and Cote Brilliante avs. N. J. Sullivan.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—8 men and 10 teams Thursday morning at 4208 Cote Brilliante av.; also one driver at 1722 Lectingwell av. James Corcoran.

MAN WANTED—Experienced man to instruct edge-trimmers for five or six weeks; state experience and salary expected. Address Jefferson Shoe Co., Jefferson City, Mo.

PAINTERS WANTED—Stack painters to do work 160 feet high. Macker, 1506 Gratiot st.

PAINTERS WANTED—Fresco painters. 417 Merchod-Jaccard Building. Call 9 p. m.

PACKER WANTED—Exp. man to fit up and pack furniture; must furnish city refs; apply 814 N. Broadway.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Two first-class shoemakers for custom work. A. Albrecht, 408 N. 6th.

SHOVELERS WANTED—Shovelers Thursday morning. Bayard and Fountain avs.

SOLICITORS WANTED—Good solicitors for a paying, weekly paper; male or female; reference required. Address E 551, this office.

SOLICITORS WANTED—To get advertisements and subscriptions for a new daily paper; commission. 1108 Union Trust Building.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

5 cents per line each insertion.

SALESMEN WANTED—To sell cigars to dealers; $75 to $100 monthly and expenses; experience unnecessary. Superior Cigar Co., Chicago.

TEAMS AND SHOVELERS WANTED—100 teams, 45c a load; 30 shovelers; at 9th and Market sts. W. J. Redmond, contractor.

TEAMS AND SHOVELERS WANTED—50 teams, 45c per load; 25 shovelers. 9th and Olive sts. L. Kennah.

TINNERS WANTED—2 tinners immediately; come ready to work. Apply at hardware store, Easton and Goode avs.

TEAMS WANTED—Teams at Bambrick's quarry, King's highway and St. Louis av.

TEAMS WANTED—50 teams; 45c per load. 9th and Olive sts. L. Kennah.

TAILORS WANTED—To work on coats. Call at 1507 Olive st.

TEAMSTER WANTED—No. 1 teamster, one who understands shipping goods; $8 per week; must have stable to keep team in. Address at once D 549, this office.

WASHER WANTED—Experienced; this evening. Meramec Laundry, rear 512 Walnut st.

WAITER WANTED—Good waiter. Apply early, 1119 N. 3d st.

$3.00 UP—Pants to order. Merritz Tailoring Co., 210 N. 8th st., cor. Olive, 2d floor.

$12.50 UP—Suits and overcoats to order. Merritz Tailoring Co., 8th and Olive

WANTED—SHOE SALESMAN.

Wanted—First-class shoe salesman for Northeast Texas to carry a line of jobbers in connection with our St. Louis factory-made boots and shoes; none need apply but such as have an established trade and can bring first-class recommendation. Address A 547, this office.

Bryant & Stratton

BUSINESS, SHORTHAND AND TELEGRAPH SCHOOL, Corner Broadway and Market st. Fall Term of the Day and Night School begins Sept. 2. This is the largest, best equipped and most practical school of its kind in the West. Graduates are successful in securing and holding positions. Write for circular.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

COOK—Situation as cook in small family. Address Mary Grace, 1110 Franklin av., in rear.

COOK—A middle-aged woman wants situation as cook and to do housework, or to care for children. Please call at 1238 Wash st.

COOK—Wanted, situation as cook, housekeeper or ladies' maid in good family. Add. 1027 Olive st.

COOK—Situation by a first-class cook to cook lunches. Call at 1413 Wash st.

COOK—Wanted, situation by middle-aged woman to cook in small family; light wages. 822 N. 22d.

COOK—A first-class cook wishes a situation; no objection to small washing. Please call at 815 N. 23d st.

DRESSMAKER—Wanted, a few more families to sew for by an experienced fitter and designer. 3223 Locust st.

DRESSMAKER—Wanted work in families by 1st-class cutter and fitter. 2924 Olive st.

GIRL—Wanted, work of any kind by a bright, intelligent girl; best references; must have work; store, shop, house or respectable work of any kind. Address S 551, this office.

GOVERNESS—Wanted, situation as governess by experienced German teacher; best references. Address O 550, this office.

HOUSEKEEPER—Lady with daughter of 16 would like situation, housekeeper or seamstress; daughter as governess to small children or lady's maid; best references. Address 4357½ Cozens av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Lady of refinement wants situation as housekeeper for widower in country town; Illinois preferred. Address M. E. R., 1424 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation to do general housework. 110 S. Channing av.

HOUSEWORK—Sit. by German woman for general housework. 1608 Wash st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Lady of refinement wants position as housekeeper for widower in country town; Illinois preferred. Address M. E. R., 1424 Washington av.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wishes to go out by the day or take washing home. Oda Collbert, 1410 Carr st.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by first-class white laundress to go out by the day or take home. Call at 3922 Lucky st.

LAUNDRESS—Laundress wants situation by the month. 1238 Wash st.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by a first-class laundress to wash by the day or bring home; good refs. Call at 2313 Morgan st.

STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, a position as stenographer; good reference; very low salary. Address G 542, this office.

WOMAN—Situation by a colored woman; also board wanted for a child in a small colored family. Address G 548, this office.

WOMAN—German woman wants work by the day. Mrs. Mohr, 1610 Carr st.

WAITRESSES—Situations by 2 experienced girls as waitresses or chambermaids; references. Add. H 550, this office.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

ASSISTANT WANTED—An experienced lady assistant in massage treatment. 1600 Pine st.

BASTER WANTED—Experienced baster on vests. 3430 Indiana av.

COOK WANTED—Woman or girl to cook. 800 Convent st.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook and do housework for family of 4. 4255 Finney av.

COOK WANTED—Competent girl to cook, wash and iron in family of four; wages $15. Apply 2855 Eads av.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook and housegirl. Call at 115 S. 14th st.

COOK WANTED—A man or woman cook. Call 1012 Locust st.

COOK WANTED—Good lady cook in restaurant. 3210 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron. 3032 Bell av.

COOK WANTED—Good cook in small family; good wages; references required. 4396 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron; a good home for a good girl. 4033 Reber pl.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash, iron and do housework for small family. Apply 4001 Morgan st.

COOK WANTED—Woman to do plain cooking. Apply at 4500 Cook av.

COOK WANTED—Good, plain cook for private boarding-house. 1127 St. Ange av.

COOK WANTED—Immediately, a good cook; also dining-room girl. 1623 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—A German girl to cook and do laundry work; no housework; small family. Apply 2324 Whittemore pl.

COOK WANTED—A good plain cook, able to cut meat; no Sunday work; refs. wanted. Apply at once. Address G 550, this office.

COOK WANTED—Experienced short order cook for restaurant. 1615 Franklin av.

GIRL WANTED—To learn button-hole finishing. Call on 9th and Lucas av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for shop and office work. Westgate, 1000 Olive st., upstairs.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls for labeling; experience unnecessary. Saml. F. Meyerson Printing Co., 3d and Vine sts.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls for folding in book bindery. Scott & Richars P. R. Co., 110 S. 9th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to trim hats. 409 Morgan st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl at 5108 Wells av., one block south of Easton av.

GIRLS WANTED—First-class hand and machine girls on coats. 216 N. 7th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced machine hands to work on shop coats; highest wages paid and steady work. Apply at 1425 Morgan st., upstairs.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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GIRL WANTED—Small girl to care for children. 1007 Wash st.

GIRL WANTED—Norwegian, Dane or German; will teach her American; small family; good wages. Apply at drug store, 4000 Easton av.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to sew on shop coats, examiners, hand sewers and machine hands to make 50 coats every day; high wages to steady workers. 2617 Gravois av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework at 5000 Ware av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced housegirl; must understand waiting on table; good wages to one thoroughly understanding housegirl's duties. Apply 401 N. Taylor av., cor. McPherson.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl to do general housework; family of 4. 4044 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4584 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED — Good girl for general housework; family of 2. 3933 Chouteau av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of two. 2201 Eugenia st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Steady girl to cook, wash and iron; liberal wages; suburban town. Mrs. A. W. Morriss, Lebanon, Ill.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent housegirl; one who understands waiting on table; bring refs. 3418 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; German; two in family. Apply Thursday afternoon at 3118 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 222 Walnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—I want a good housegirl; one willing to work. 2714 Glasgow av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2720 Park av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework in a family of 3. 4388 W. Maryland av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; refs. 3230 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework and plain sewing in a family of 3 persons. 2013 Park av.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—A middle-aged woman to do light housekeeping for small family for board and clothes. 320 Cepter st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in housework and washing; small family; no cooking; $1.50 per week. 6138 Bartmer av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework; to stay at own home nights; wages, $8. Apply 1016 S. 18th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework at once; competent; no washing. 1427 Missouri av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; German or Swede. Call 3956 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework in small family. 3458 Shenandoah st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply immediately at 3033 Easton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for housework. 2908 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced white girl for general housework; family of three; good wages. Call at 3943 West Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl (German preferred) for general housework. 212 N. Compton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework. 4542 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; must be able to cook. 2731 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young German to do housework and nursing. Apply at 3016 Glasgow pl. early Thursday morning.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework at 3827 Windsor.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Apply 2712 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general house and dining-room; good wages. 2214 Clark av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent housegirl; 3 in family; good wages. 4244 Delmar boulevard.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 3975 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl from 14 to 16 years of age in a small family for light housework; no children. Apply at 2724 S. 9th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; no washing. 4824 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework at 1820 S. Jefferson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A smart neat girl for general housework; small family; good wages. Apply at 4341 West Belle pl.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—One that can make bread and biscuit and take care of 3 children, girls; all going to school. Call or address 910 Morgan st., or to 1510 Biddle, or to janitor, Ashley Building, 1242 N. 3d st.

IRONERS WANTED—Experienced ladies' clothes ironers and also finishers; good wages. Call at once at Rozier Laundry, 2201 Chestnut st.

LADIES WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing; art taught in four weeks; lady instructor; illustrated catalogue. St. Louis Barber College, 819 N. 9th st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Good laundress two days in each week. Call at once 3014 Chestnut st.

MACHINE GIRLS WANTED—Machine girls on ladies' capes. Call at 304 N. 6th st., room 5.

NURSE WANTED—German girl to nurse and help with housework; 16 or 17 years of age. 5060 Horton pl.; Suburban cars.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Nursegirl 15 years old to help with housework and take care of two children; good home to right party. 1504 S. 13th st.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—German nursegirl. 3704 Laclede av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—One who will assist with housework; must give refs. 6821 Plymouth av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Girl as nurse and to assist in housework. 2344 Whittemore pl., just west of Lafayette Park.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Colored nursegirl. 3323 Pine st.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Nursegirl about 16 or 17 years old. 3041 Flad av.

PANTS MAKER WANTED—Good pants maker. 1432 S. Broadway, 2d floor, bet. 8 and 9 a. m.

SERVANT WANTED—General servant; German preferred. 3721 Olive st.

SHIRT IRONER WANTED—Experienced shirt ironer at Provident Laundry, 1731 N. 12th st.; ref. required.

STARCHER WANTED—One experienced starcher. Call at Standard Steam Laundry Co., 7108 S. Broadway.

SHIRT FINISHERS WANTED—Two shirt finishers, two lady's clothes ironers. National Laundry, 3401 Laclede av.

WAITRESS WANTED—None but experienced need apply. Victor Restaurant, 211 N. 10th st.

WOMAN WANTED—Quick, neat woman to work in small boarding-house. 6061 Maple av.

WASHWOMAN WANTED—At once; no ironing. 5330 Bartmer av.

GOLD AND SILVER.

For good silver-plated ware, reliable gold and silver plating and repairing, and cash for old gold and silver go to the manufacturers established 1872. SAMUEL L. DOWNING, 210 N. 7th st.

ALL SORTS.

ANY drug store is authorized to receive want advertisements for the Post-Dispatch.

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Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. A. G. Brauer, 219 Locust st.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

STORE FIXTURES—For sale, second-hand grocery shelving as good as new; cheap. 2022 Cherokee.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

RANGE—Wanted to exchange a beautiful gold watch and chain for six-hole range or gas fixtures for house. Add. O 551, this office.

RENT LISTS.

ONE LINE (double column), fourteen words, 10 cents; 5 cents for each addition of seven words. ANY DRUG STORE is authorized to receive Want Advertisements for the Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

ADAMS AV., 2215—For rent, one nice room, furnished or unfurnished, $1.50 per week.

BELL AV., 3701A—3 rooms, 2d floor; $10. Kesley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.

BERNARD ST., 2737—Fur. housekeeping rooms, separate or connecting; very conv.; on pay-car route.

BACON ST., 2517—Three large rooms upstairs, $11. Keys at 2512.

CHESTNUT ST., 3005—Parties can find first-class accommodations in private family visiting city during Exposition.

COMPTON AV., 223 N.—For rent, nicely furnished large 2d-story front room, small private family; hot bath; every convenience; also 2 nice large unfurnished rooms, third story.

CASS AV., 2513—Accommodation for 6 or 8 students; bath, light, fire; $2.50 each per month.

DIVISION ST., 1903—3 rooms, with water in kitchen; cheap rent.

DICKSON ST., 3007—2d-story, 3 rooms, hall, furnished; all conveniences.

ERICSSON, 2608 Locust st.—Apartments for gentlemen, with or without bath attached. W. C. McCreery.

EASTON AV., 3025—Two 2d-floor front rooms, furnished or unfurnished; light housekeeping.

EASTON AV., 4046—New, 5-rooms; just finished; granitoid, laundry and stove. Bradley & Quinette, 702 Chestnut st.

FRANKLIN AV., 2227—3 rooms, 3d floor, $7.

FRANKLIN AV., 3303—Beautifully furnished front room fr gents or man and wife, with bath and all conveniences.

HEBERT ST., 2506—Double parlors and kitchen, unfurnished to small family; cheap; also rooms for light housekeeping; laundry privileges; quiet neighborhood; Union Line to door.

HOGAN PL., 4819—4 rooms, with large attic, in new house; cheap rent. Take Spalding car on Washington av. line.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 1712 AND 1714—3 rooms each; stable for 2 horses and wagon.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 1412 N.—2 nicely furnished connecting rooms; gents or light housekeeping.

LUCAS AV., 3324—Two handsomely furnished rooms for rent.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 216 S.—Two nice parlors, 1st floor, furnished complete for housekeeping, $15 to permanent party without children; reference required.

MARKET ST., 2329—Pleasant rooms for refined young gentlemen.

MORGAN ST., 1430—For rent, furnished rooms for light housekeeping, $1.50 and $2 per week.

OLIVE ST., 1308—Newly furnished front room; gas and bath; opposite Exposition.

OLIVE ST., 3518—Beautifullly furnished 2d-story connecting front rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences.

OLIVE ST., 2827A—Large, nicely furnished 2d-story room; also hall room.

OLIVE ST., 3719—6 rooms, 2d floor, 2 porches, bath, laundry, steam heat, hot water, janitor. C. H. Evans, 915 Locust st.

OLIVE ST., 1931—Nicely furnished rooms; prices reasonable; bath and gas.

OLIVE ST., 2041—Furnished for housekeeping; 2 connecting front rooms, $10; 1 back room, $8.

SCHOOL ST., 3308—Nicely furnished front room in private family.

WASHINGTON AV., 1132½—Fine furnished rooms; transients a specialty.

WASH ST., 1735—Comfortably furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping; all conveniences; southern exposure.

WINDSOR PL., 3700—3 rooms, 1st floor; $11. Keeler & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.

WASHINGTON AV., 1631—For rent, nicely furnished room, $2 per week, for housekeeping.

WASHINGTON AV., 4635—Newly and handsomely furnished rooms; single or en suite; select transients accommodated.

6TH AND FRANKLIN AV.—Rooms, $1 per week; beds and meals 15c each.

7TH ST., 1430 N.—1 nicely furnished front room for 2 young men in private family.

9TH ST., 815 N.—Nicely furnished front hall room, $1.25 per week.

11TH ST., 12 N.—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; $2 and $2.50 per week.

11TH ST., 12 N.—One room for light housekeeping; $2.50 per week.

12TH ST., 113 N.—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping or roomers; $5 per month up.

18TH ST., 815 S.—2 rooms for light housekeeping; $12 per month.

Miscellaneous.

ROOM—Nicely furnished front room in family of two; West End; southern exposure; furnace heat, bath, hot and cold water; Lindell cars pass door; no other roomers. Add. R 550, this office.

BOARDING.

BENTON ST., 2837—Furnished front room, with or without board, in private family of two.

BELLE PL., 4379—Two handsomely furnished rooms, with breakfast; refs.

CLARK AV., 2214—Furnished rooms with board, gas, bath; terms $4.50 and $5 per week.

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CLARK AV., 2224—Nicely furnished rooms, with board, $4 per week; also nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

DELMAR BOULEVARD, 3837—For rent, large handsome rooms; fine board if desired.

EUGENIA ST., 2026—2 furnished rooms, with reasonable board, near Union Station.

EASTON AV., 4221A—Parlor or hall room, good table, near Lindell and Easton av. cars; private family; price, $20 monthly.

EUGENIA ST., 2138—Two gentlemen can find nicely furnished room, with board; reasonable; two blocks west of Union Station.

FINNEY AV., 3828—1 or 2 nicely furnished rooms, with first-class board; private family.

FINNEY AV., 4256—Room and board for 1 or 2; private family; refs. exchanged.

GARRISON AV., 913 N.—Nicely furnished rooms for gents or ladies, without board; good meals.

GARRISON AV., 912 N.—Handsome rooms, furnished, single or en suite; second floor front; also, elegant room on first floor, with private bath; board and service first-class; refs.

GAMBLE ST., 2812—Nice room, with breakfast and supper, for two gents; very reasonable.

GARRISON AV., 107 N.—Large 2-story front room, with excellent board; rates reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 2630—Well furnished room; excellent board.

LA SALLE ST., 925—Beautiful 2d-story front room; furnished, with board for couple; good, healthy location; ref.

LOCUST ST., 2207—Newly furnished rooms; first-class board; transients accommodated.

OLIVE ST., 2924—Elegantly furnished front and back rooms for two gents; home comforts; with or without board.

ST. ANGE AV., 1317—Elegant furnished rooms, with or without board, in German family.

ST. FERDINAND AV., 4520—Nicely furnished room in private family, with or without board, to visitors or residents of the city; terms very reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 2624—Nicely furnished rooms on 1st and 2d floors, with board; all conveniences; visitors to city accommodated.

WASHINGTON AV., 2811—Elegant rooms for families or single transient accommodated; meals first-class.

WASHINGTON AV., 2928—Neat parlor bedroom, 1st floor; also 2d-floor front; excellent board.

Miscellaneous.

BENTON ST., 2505—Baby or child to board; will give mother's care.

ROOM—A nice furnished room with board in West End. Apply 3817A Franklin av.

ROOM—Furnished front room, with board for two gents; all conveniences. Add. P 550, this office.

FLATS FOR RENT.

CLARK AV., 2734—4-room flat in good order; water and gas; in good neighborhood; $14.

GLASGOW AV., 2712—5-room flat; gas, bath and laundry; good repair; rent $15.

GARRISON AV., 417 S.—Lower flat, 4 rooms, in first-class condition; rent low to good tenant.

MAGAZINE ST., 3003—5-room flat, in good condition; bathroom and w. c. Inquire on premises.

NEWSTEAD AV., 4120A N.—Splendid new flat; 4 rooms; bath and laundry; $14.

NEWSTEAD AV., No. 4124, 4126, 4780 and 4132, near Lee Av.—Splendid newly built 3-room flats; cemented laundry; free water, etc.; half hour's ride by Union line or Lindell railway; high ground, nice neighborhood, churches, schools near by; rent only $11; come out and see them. Keys at 4132 Newstead. J. T. Donovan, Seventh and Chestnut, Agent.

PAGE AV., 4924 AND 4926—Elegant new flats, 4 rooms, halls and bath; separate laundry and closets galore, superbly fur. throughout.

RUSSELL AV., 3628—New 4-room flat; bath, laundry and all modern improvements.

VANDEVENTER AV., 1218 (between Page and Cook av.)—Six-room house, cellar and laundry cemented; all in good order; $25. Cavender & Thompson.

WALNUT ST., 2613—Nice, large, light 4-room flat near Union Station; open; $15.

14TH ST., 1120 N.—An elegant 3-room flat; 1st floor; water in kitchen.

22D ST., 106 N.—Nicely furnished 3-room flat, 1st floor, with bath.

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

BOARDING—Wanted, room and boad in the vicinity of Grand av., between Olive and Morgan sts. Add. R 547, this office.

BOARDING—Wanted, by nice, quiet refined young lady room and board in strictly first-class private family; no others need apply. Add., stating terms, H 548, this office.

ROOM—Wanted, by quiet lady, room and board, with privileges, with widow lady preferred. Address L 550, this office.

ROOM—Wanted, board and room for couple near 39th and Laclede. Add. C 550, this office.

ROOM AND BOARD—With private family living in northern part of city. Ad. R 549, this office.

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

ROOM—Young lady wants furnished room for light housekeeping; not to exceed $8 per month. Address L 549, this office.

ROOM—Wanted, 2 unfurnished rooms on Olive or Washington av. line; state price. Address G 551, this office.

ROOMS—Wanted, 2 good-sized rooms or 3-room flat; not over $10; family of 2; no children; good locality; permanent tenant if suited. Address C 551, this office.

ROOM—Wanted, furnished room for quiet couple; east of Grand av. Ad. T 546, this office.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

CHAMBERS ST., 914—6 rooms, gas, bath, hall, laundry; $20. Apply at 905 Franklin av.

CHESTNUT ST., 3333—First-class 8-room modern, reception hall house; rent low to good tenant. Apply M. Meyer, southeast corner 6th and Washington av., upstairs.

CHAMBERS ST., 914—6 rooms, gas, bath, hall, laundry; $20. Apply at 912 Chambers st.

DICKSON ST., 3045½—6-room house, good stable, in first-class order; rent $30. Apply at above number.

GAMBLE ST., 2934 AND 2938—2 beautiful 6-room houses fronting a park; thorough repair; $22.50. Wolff & Co.

HOUSE—Wanted, small respectable family to take 3-room house; rent not above $30; references required and exchanged. Add. 3401 Manchester rd.

LUCAS AV., 2929—8 rooms, in first-class condition; low rent. D. J. Hayden & Co., 211 N. 8th st.

MADISON ST., 2605—Clean 6-room house, front and back yard; $16.50. Keys at 2601.

MADISON ST., 2623—Six rooms; bath, w. c., etc.; in good repair; $17.50.

STEWART PL. AND RIDGE AV. (northeast cor.)—A beautiful new residence of 10 large rooms, $50.

THOMAS ST., 3057—Best small 6-room house; little beauty. Key at 3061 Thomas st.

VANDEVENTER AV., 1218—(between Page and Cook av.)—Six-room house, cellar and laundry cemented; all in good order; $25. Cavender & Thompson.

WEST BELLE PL., 2429—12 rooms, in splendid condition; all modern conv. Jno. N. Strnat, 610 Olive st.

23D ST., 816 AND 818 N.—Nice large 7-room house; modern improved; gas and bath; cheap; doors open.

FURNISHED HOUSES WANTED.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Wanted, to rent, nicely furnished house, 7 to 9 rooms; west of Grand av.; no children; three adults only. Address L 546, this office.

WEST BELLE PL., 5162—Furnished house; new; handsomely furnished; $65 per month. Apply Friday at 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

BELT AV., 1405, near Ridge av.—Butcher shop and 4-room flat. Inquire at corner drug store.

BUILDING—For rent or lease, 3-story strong brick dwelling, with cellar, 22x60 ft.; nearly new; suitable for manufacturing purposes; on corner and double street railroad on one side; good light; will rent or lease at low figure. Add. W 547, this office.

CLARK AV., S. E. Cor., 9th St.—Two new one-story brick buildings, suitable for store, office, restaurant or manufacturing; cheap rent. N. Scharff, 704 N. 2d st.

PHYSICIANS' and dentists' offices in the Erickson, 2936 Locust st. W. C. McCreery.

ROOMS—In building 514 Pine st., for business purposes only, from $5 to $10 each, according to location. Chas. H. Bailey, 304 N. 7th st.

STORE—For rent, store for any purpose, corner Gravois and Ohio avs., $600; big yard and stable; 4 rooms and hall.

2D ST., 230 N.—1 door from corner of Washington av.—A good store with elegant basement; cheap rent. N. Scharff, 704 N. 2d st.

2D ST., 514 N.—Near Washington Av.—Second and third floors, together or separately; good front entrance; good light, cheap rent. N. Scharff, 704 N. 2d st.

19TH ST., 1750 S.—Brick shop and stable; cheap.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

The Sweetest Homes

in St. Louis will be in Chouteau Place. Everything points that way. It is a subdivision within the city, of easy access, and is being improved in the best and most modern ways. The lots are now selling at remarkably low prices. They will be bought by the most sensible sort of people—the people who will make the sweetest homes of St. Louis. There are wholesome restrictions and protection from nuisances in

Chouteau Place.

It is reached by several street railways. Two blocks west of Grand av. $25 to $35 a foot buys most desirable residence lots on easiest terms.

Branch Office at Chouteau Place. Get Plat and Price List there, or see

NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut Street.

MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

$1,000,000 To Loan

In sums to suit, at lowest rates.

RUTLEDGE & KILPATRICK,

Phone 799. 717 Chestnut Street.

IMPROVED PROPERTY FOR SALE.

HOUSE—$100 cash, balance $20 a month, buys new 6-room pressed brick house; West End. Call evenings, 7 to 8, or write Richardson, room 5, 720 Chestnut st.

LINCOLN AV., 4017—5-room cottage for sale at a bargain; easy terms or monthly payments.

HOUSE—$100 cash, balance $20 monthly, buys new 6-room press-brick house; West End; or will take vacant lot as 1st payment. Call evenings, 7 to 8, or write Richardson, Room 5, 720 Chestnut st.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

LOTS—$75 cash buys the best 6 lots in Elmwood (on Frisco); balance ($429) $12 monthly. Address F 549, this office.

FARMS WANTED.

FARM—Wanted, by first-class farmer, stock land on shares or otherwise; best of refs. Add. M., 1814 Morgan st.

FARM—Wanted, to rent farm between 40 and 50 acres in St. Louis County; must have house and plenty of stable room; not over 8 miles from Courthouse. Address G 549, this office.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

YOU CAN EASILY MAKE

$25 a day or more on small capital by our safe method of speculation in grain or stocks. Working for commissions only, it is to our interest to make money for our customers. Business strictly confidential. Send for our book (free). Bank references. F. J. Wakem & Co., 180 Owings Building, Chicago.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

BUSINESS—For sale, one-half interest in a good paying business; good reason for selling. Address M 550, this office.

BREAD ROUTE—For sale; with or without horse and wagon. Apply at 3029 Newstead av.

GROCERY—For sale, a nice small grocery doing a good cash trade; will sell at a sacrifice; have other business to attend to; will lump or invoice. 3043 Laclede av.

PRINTING OFFICE—For sale, an interest in an established printing and stationery business. Address K 550, this office.

FOR RENT—FLATS.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

NEW THREE-ROOM FLATS

4015-19 Cozens av. (1 block south of Easton); each flat has 3 fine rooms; just finished; sink in kitchen and hydrant in cellar; rent $9.50.

H. T. A. LINCHEY & CO., 418½ Olive st. (room 33).

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

614 LOCUST ST.

Four (4) Splendid Upper Floors

With individual entrance from Locust st.; well lighted and equipped with new electric elevator; shipping and receiving facilities, in a granitoid paved alley; all in first-class order. An elevator will be put in at front entrance if desired. Apply to CHAS. H. PECK, 1002 Chestnut st.

FOR RENT.

7th and Morgan Sts.

The four-story building situated on the southwest corner, 70x80; electric elevator and all conveniences; well adapted for wholesale clothing.

J. T. DONOVAN R. E.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

BED-ROOM SUITE—For sale, nice pair lace-front curtains, carpet and cheap. Apply to 3320 Olive st.

FURNITURE—For sale, a fine lot of furniture; also upright piano. 1801A Washington av.

FURNITURE—For sale, black walnut roller-top desk; cheap. 2017 Olive st.

PIANO—For sale, piano and other 1st-class household furniture; dealers need not apply. 209 S. Belmont st.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, entire contents of furnished 8-room house, including folding beds, range, gas stove and gas statues; great sacrifice. 3207 Locas av.

NEWSPAPER OUTFIT—For sale, an extra outfit, complete for country newspaper. Address The Democrat, Fredericktown, Mo.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

Wanted

HORSE—Wanted, to buy good horse or will exchange a bed-room set. 1303 Washington av.

For Sale.

HORSES—For sale, 2 horses and mare; driving or work; $15 and $35. Rear 2316 Pine st.

HORSE—For sale, cheap, a fine horse; suitable for surrey, carriage or buggy; a responsible person can have him on trial. Add. W 550, this office.

TRAPS—New and second-hand open and top wagons, harness, cabinets, storm buggies; monthly payments. Northwestern Buggy Co., 1110 N. Broadway.

BUSINESS WANTED.

MISS MASON, stenographer and typewriter, office 513 Chestnut, solicits your copying, business and legal papers; letters written; orders filled promptly.

LOST AND FOUND.

5 cents per line each insertion.

Lost.

CUFF-BUTTON—Lost, one ladies' link cuff button at east Olive st. entrance, Saturday night, Sept. 7. Finder please return to city desk Brown-Clack Paper Co., 216 N. 3rd st.

EYE-GLASSES—Lost, on Sunday morning, bet. Vandeventer and Garrison avs., gold filled frame eye-glasses, with latch key; all in small black silk bag. Please return to 3013 West Belle; suitable reward.

EYEGLASSES—Lost, a pair of gold eyeglasses, probably on Washington av., near 4th. Reward if returned to Samuel F. Myerson Printing Co., 3d and Vine sts.

MARE—Lost, chestnut sorrel mare, 15 hands high, white stripe on nose and back. Liberal reward. 4017 Lincoln av.

MONEY—Lost, on the corner of 11th and Lucas av., two $10 bills in leather match-box. Please return to watchman at 1101 Washington av.

PURSE—Lost, on Lindell Railway, between Vandeventer and 18th st., plain black purse, containing small sum of money and papers with owner's name thereon. Reward on return to 3124 Chestnut st.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, at confectionery or at corner of Grand and Olive, a pocketbook. Finder please return sleeve button to 2737 Dayton st. and receive reward.

PHOTOS—Lost, on 7th and Market, 2 cabinet photos and parcel. Liberal reward to the finder at 1313 N. 11th st. Mrs. Lackland.

WATCH AND CHAIN—Lost, gold watch, chain and charm; liberal reward. 1017 Dillon st., rear.

WATCH CHARM—Lost, a gold watch charm in the neighborhood of South Side Hotel, last Saturday; the charm had an A. O. U. W. badge on one side and an elk on the other and a small chain attached. The finder will be rewarded by returning charm to 2131 Clark av. Peerless Laundry.

LOANS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY.

DO YOU wish a loan where no one will know your business? We loan money on furniture, pianos, warehouse receipts, your note secured by diamonds, etc. Repayment can be arranged to suit borrower. Get our terms first; then try others. The utmost respect shown to every one. Business done quickly. Anchor Loan Co., 720½ Chestnut st.

MONEY loaned on clothing, diamonds, watches, chains, guns, revolvers, trunks, medical instruments, etc., at Dung's Loan Office, 612 Franklin av.

MORGAN LOAN Co., will lend $10 and upwards on furniture, pianos, horses and other security; will guarantee the best rates in the city; weekly or monthly payments accepted. Call or address 1019 Morgan st.

MONEY—Loaned on furniture at reduced rates; easy terms; no extra charge for papers. St. Louis Mtg. Co., 816½ Chestnut st.

MONEY TO LOAN—On furniture and pianos, any amount you desire without removing property from house; money can be paid back in installments and save interest; no commission or charges for papers; money given the same day applied for. John C. King, 814 Morgan st. Business private.

Respectable parties can borrow money on furniture of pianos on easy monthly payments without removal, in sums and terms to suit. Business confidential. COMMERCIAL LOAN CO., 712 Pine st., second floor.

FURNITURE LOANS.

Money to loan on furniture at reduced rates without removal; lowest rates; business strictly confidential. Union Loan Co., 1009 Pine st.

NATIONAL LOAN CO.,

1009 Washington av., 2d floor. Any amount of money loaned on Furniture and Pianos without removing property from your house. Money can be paid back in installments and save interest. Business confidential. Lowest rates; no commission or any extra charges of any kind. Money loaned on Typewriters, Bicycles and Sewing Machines. Also, small loans made on real estate.

DO YOU WANT MONEY?

The Fidelity Loan Co. will lend you any amount from $10 upward at the lowest possible rate, on furniture, pianos, horses or personal property of any kind, the property to be left in your undisturbed possession; payment can be made in full or in part at any time to suit the convenience of the borrower. If any one is offering you better terms than we can, call and see us before you borrow elsewhere. If you owe a balance on your furniture or piano we will pay it for you; loans can be made without any publicity to the borrower.

THE FIDELITY LOAN CO.,
302 CHESTNUT ST., SECOND FLOOR.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Fruit Blue Kitting boys' suits and pants go to H. Freedman, the reliable boys' tailor, 3540 Fine ev.

PERSONS seeing lady get hurt on Tuesday afternoon on 9 Franklin ay and 4th st., will please send their address to 2140 Clifton Pl.

STEAMBOATS.

STEAMBOAT—For sale, stern wheel, steamboat plying in Mississippi River in well-established trade; cause for selling, owner is going into business and will sell half interest and guarantee 20 per cent on investment. For further particulars address Dodge, this office.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—Will pay best price for used feather beds, pillows, send postal. J. Davis, 1128 N. 6th.

DOGS.

PUG DOG—Cheap; not a year old. Call at 10 N. 9th st., 2d floor.

A TERRIBLE BULLET.

The First Man Killed by the Krag-Jorgensen Rifle in This Country.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Sentinel Jacob M. Kress, who shot Private James Coffey at Fort Sheridan yesterday as he was attempting to escape, used one of the Krag-Jorgensen rifles. Coffey is said to be the first man killed in this country by the new rifle now used by the United States. Coffey was fifty yards away when Kress fired. The nickel pointed ball passed through Coffey's head, then it went through a tree eight inches in diameter and afterwards buried itself three feet deep in the hillside thirty yards beyond.

"SCOTCH DAY" AT THE EX.

The Melodies of Caledonia Will Draw a Brave Gathering.

One does not have to be Scotch to enjoy the beautiful melodies of the land of kilts and heather. There will be a big turnout at the Ex to-night and it can be taken for granted that Music Hall will be swept with whirlwinds of enthusiasm.

A great many people are beginning to find out that the way to have an exciting time between concerts is to visit the Indian encampment in the basement. The Sioux Indians in war paint and feathers go through a regular war dance and exhibit many of their characteristic customs.

Programme for the evening concerts follows:

AT 7 O'CLOCK.

Overture—"Fair Maid of Perth".....Widdel
"In the Highland Freedom Dwells".....Volstedt
A Hunting Scene.....Buccalossi
Patrol—"The Scots".....Cole
Scenes from "Lucia di Lammermoor".....Donizetti
Four Scotch Songs.....Apon

AT 9 O'CLOCK.

Overture—"Macbeth".....Hatton
Songs and Dances of Scotland.....Godfrey
Andante and Algeretto, Scotch Symphony.....Mendelssohn
"An Evening in Glasgow".....Bonnseau
March—"Bonnie Annie Laurie".....Sousa

ON HIS OFFICE FLOOR.

Sudden Death of John Bels, a Well Known Kansas Banker.

ATCHISON, Kan., Sept. 11.—John Bels, one of the oldest and best known bankers in this part of the State, died at noon today of apoplexy. Shortly after beginning his day's duties he was found lying on his office floor, unconscious. Doctors were unable to resuscitate him and he died within a few hours.

INTRUDERS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Proceedings at an Extra Session of the Cherokee Legislature.

TAHLEQUAH, I. T., Sept. 11.—Pursuant to a call issued by the Chief, the Cherokee Legislature met here in extra session this morning. The object of the special session is to dispose of the improvements made by the intruders of the Nation, who were recently ejected by order of the Interior Department. It is believed that their work will be concluded to-day.

Burial Permits.

Elatte Sartore, 85, 2917 North Grand, senile debility.

John Tunnicliff, 75, St. Louis Hospital; shock following surgical operation.

Friederich Feldt, 8, 1309 Madison, bronchitis.

Larkin Foster, 32, 4035 St. Ferdinand; typho-malarial fever.

Susie Ukale, 7, 1400 North Tenth; diphtheria.

Edna Krallman, 5, 3914 North Twenty-first; diphtheria.

Richard Perry, 58 Kansas City; cerebral hemorrhage.

Willie Wildermuth, 5, 4362 College; diphtheria.

Frank Spealer, 25, City Hospital; consumption.

Carl E. Nendeck, 69, 1439 Bremen; cancer.

148 Miles in 134 Minutes.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 11.—The New York Central "Limited" which left the Grand Central Station, New York City, at 3:40:30 p. m., arrived at Albany at 7:54:30 p. m., covering the 148 miles in 134 minutes, 53 seconds. Stopped at Albany, changing engines, one minute.

HE HORSEWHIPPED HER.

Reason Why a Preacher's Daughter Seeks a Divorce in Springfield.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 11.—A special to the Star from Springfield, Mo., says:

A sensation has been created here by the filing of a suit by Mrs. Hiram McLaughlin for divorce from her husband. She alleges, among other grievances, that he was in the habit of horse-whipping her.

She is the daughter of Rev. M. N. McClune, a prominent minister, and McLaughlin is a young lumber king, the son of one of Springfield's wealthiest citizens.

Both were prominent in society. They have been married for three years and have two children.

THE CENTRAL FLYER.

Makes a Run of 440 Miles in Four Hundred and Twenty-seven Minutes.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 11.—The New York Central Flyer arrived at Buffalo at 12:40, making the distance, 440 miles, in seven hours.

THE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 11.

The September report of the Statistician of the Department of Agriculture shows a decline in the condition of corn to 90.4 from 102.5 in the month of August, being a falling off of 6.1 points. The prospects for this crop have suffered from drouth during the month of August in the surplus-producing States of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and in a portion of Nebraska. Reports from Indiana, Iowa and Ohio indicate final, though there have been rains during the latter part of the month, they have been generally too late to be of any great benefit. Drouth has also injured the crop in the Eastern States, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Maryland. Much more encouraging reports come from the South, which indicate in that section the crop will be larger than ever before produced. Two inches of rain is said in certain sections of South Carolina, Alabama and Mississippi, and drouth seems to have affected unfavorably certain localities in Texas. Reports, however, from this section are generally favorable. The averages in the principal States are:

Kentucky	106	Illinois	97
Ohio	88	Kansas	86
Michigan	85	Missouri	111
Indiana	86	Iowa	99

The general condition of wheat, considering both winter and spring varieties where harvested, was 76.4, against 88.7 last year and 74 in 1893. The reported conditions for the principal wheat States are as follows:

Ohio	84	Kansas	40
Michigan	70	Nebraska	74
Indiana	85	North Dakota	74
Illinois	80	South Dakota	71
Wisconsin	86	California	75
Minnesota	107	Oregon	93
Iowa	107	Washington	79
Missouri	73		

Condition of oats when harvested was 86, rye 88.7, barley 87.9, buckwheat 87.3, potatoes 90.8.

The six winter wheat surplus States' yields, according to Government figures, were 84,222,000 bu in Ohio, 18,300,000 in Indiana, 10,176,000 in Illinois, 18,192,000 in Missouri, 18,826,000 in Kansas, 12,597,000 in Michigan, a total of 108,-356,000 bu, against 204,802,000 last year.

New York wires that yesterday's estimate 35,000,000 bu wheat and 32,000 corn there and 48,000 wheat and 52,000 corn at out ports.

Stock of Grain in Elevators.

	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Year Ago.
Wheat	1,506,466	1,440,000	6,180,000
Corn	135,887	127,802	288,326
Oats	128,887	124,802	
Rye	8,503	7,310	
Barley	967	967	
No. 2 wheat	624,000	581,000	5,802,713
No. 2 corn	268,500	257,000	25,580
No. 2 oats	11,748	7,684	204,575
No. 2 rye	3,749	3,112	

Regular Cash Market Prices.

	W'd'sday.	Tuesday.	Year Ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	59½	60 @59¾	51
No. 3 red	57½	58 @58½	46
No. 4 winter	53	n 54 @53¾	47
CORN.			
No. 2	30¾	30½	26¾
No. 3	30¼	30½@30¾	26
No. 4		29½	25
OATS.			
No. 2	18¼b	18¼b	21
No. 2 white			
No. 3	16½b	17 b	

CHICAGO—Reported by Gaylord, Blessing & Co., 307 Olive street.

WHEAT.					
Dec	58¾@58⅝	58¾	57½	57½@57¾	
CORN.					
May	29¾	29¾	29		29
OATS.					
May	20⅝	21 @21¼	20⅝		20⅝
PORK.					
Jan	$9.40	$9.37	$9.25		$9.37
LARD.					
Jan	$5.75	$5.72	$5.70		$5.72
RIBS.					
Jan	$4.85	$4.85	$4.80		4.80

Future Prices.

	Closing Tuesday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing Wednesday.
WHEAT.				
Sept	58¾n	59¼	58¾	59¼
Dec	58¾	59¼	58¾	59¼
May	63¼	63¾	63¼	63¾
CORN.				
Sept	29¾	29¾	29¾	30
Oct	30	30¼	30	30¼
Dec	24½b	24½b	24½	24¼
Year	31¾b	31¾	31¾	32¼
May	30¾	30¾	29¾	30¾
OATS.				
Sept	19n			19½b
May	20¾	20¾@21	20¾	20¾a

WHEAT.

The usual decline that follows a Government report was seen this morning, though the report itself was hardly the depressing factor. In fact, the Government's figures on indication of crop of 400,000,000 bu were really bullish. But, as speculation is still a "doubting Thomas," so far as Government estimates go, preferring to believe the higher guesses of unofficial statisticians and certain publications, the smallness of the crop indicated by the department's statisticians had no effect. It was intimated that as the Government had raised its wheat yield once this year, it was liable to do so once more. The bull bear influence, however, was the Northwestern crop, which had turned loose 1,203 cars in Duluth and Minneapolis this morning, where 575 cars is one year ago, making 4,000 cars so far this week, against 2,720 for same time last year. This was too much for the bears to resist with equanimity and they rushed in and covered their shorts, sending the market up 2 cents from the lowest point of the day down. Foreign markets were dull and generally weaker, showing they were not faultfully influenced by crop report, and this did all unfavorable for that matter. Wheat receipts continued small, reported to be a mile taken that no one regarded as of importance.

The first check to the downward tendency came from the cash sales at large export points at the shipboard, followed by a sharp advance of 2 cents. As clearances had been liberal for the day—875,000 bu in four and wheat from first ports—this cash news had a strong effect, though only for a short time.

The closing Liverpool came lower and there were reports of good engagements at New York. This helped the bear feeling and they sold the cash sale, causing a further decline and weak close.

Spot Grades—Local and outside mills continue their demands for No. 2 red and No. 3 red, though the call gave little evidence of this, as so scant were the offerings that there was very little premium in bidding; hence some of the bids there did not represent actual values. No. 2 red was offered regular at 59¼c, with 59c bid for St. Louis, Central Illinois and Tarkio; 58¾c for Fast Side. No. 3 red offered regular at 58c, bid 57c for Terminal, Farmers' and St. Louis, and for No. 4 winter 56c bid in same houses, none offered. Hard winter was neglected.

CORN.

It had been pretty generally believed that the Government report would indicate a crop of over 2,300,000,000 bu, and as the estimated condition of 90.4, though nearly six points below August condition, figured out 2,321,000,000 bu in the original acreage, the trade got what they were working for. The weather conditions to-day were again of the most satisfactory, being dry and warm—very hot in the greater portion of the corn belt—and just that required to mature the crop and put it in the best possible shape for marketing and grading early. These bearish conditions, in conjunction with the decline in wheat and dull and lower cables, had a weakening effect and all domestic markets eased off, though the decline was small locally. Receipts were small here and at no point large, but clearances much less than yesterday.

There was no recovery to speak of to the market at any time and the close was weak.

Spot grades—Lower again and dead dull. No 2 was offered on Call in Farmers' at 30¼c (4c decline) and 30¼c bid for regular; No 3 white regular at 30¼c. Lower grades neglected.

OATS.

The indicated crop of 744,000,000 bu by the Government report was the highest yet estimated, but did not especially affect the future market.

Spot grades—Dull. On Call No 2 offered regular at 19¼c, bid 18¾c; 19¼c bid for No 3 and 18c for No. 4 in Farmers'.

RYE.

Easier. No 2 offered regular at 50c and 57½c, the best bid. No. 3 sold at 50c and for choice by sample 40c paid.

FLOUR AND FEED.

FLOUR—No export trade, but fair orders from the South.

Patents	$3 05@3 15
Extra fancy	2 85@2 95
Fancy	2 65@2 75
Choice	2 50@2 60
Rye flour	3 00@3 25
Cornmeal	1 70@1 75

Feed, meal, grits and hominy $0.90@1.00.

MILLSTUFFS—Still declining and demand light. For spot bran E. track 62c the best bid and sold for Sept. delivery at 50c.

PROVISIONS.

PORK—Standard mess, $9.75 per bbl; on orders 50c higher.

LARD—Prime steam, 5.60c; choice, 5.65c.

BACON—Sales, Boxed lots, shoulders, 6½c; longs, 6½c; clear ribs, 6¾c; short clear, 6¾c.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—On orders, 10½@11½c per lb.

BREAKFAST BACON—On orders, 9@11c per lb.

COUNTRY LARD—Sells at 4½@5c, as to quality.

BEEF—Mess, $6.50@7.50 per bbl; dried, 9½@11½c per lb; tongues, $4.50 per doz.

COUNTRY MEATS—Bacon shoulders, 5½@5¾c; clear sides, 6¾@7c; hams, 7½@8½c; D. S. meats, ¾c per lb.

GRASS SEEDS AND CASTOR BEANS.

GRASS SEEDS—Timothy steady at $2.75 to $4.10; clover, $4.50@6.50; millet, 75@90c.

FLAXSEED—Lower, with sales at 88c.

BEANS—Nominal, at $2.85, pure test.

CASTOR BEANS—Out of season. Nominal at $1.25 for prime.

HAY.

Receipts, 860 tons; shipped, 340 tons. The demand for choice grade timothy is decidedly strong and active, and for such stock buyers paid fully 50c per ton advance, but it is not on the market in sufficient quantity to anywhere near satisfy the demand. Dispose of low grades (of which the market is now heavily overstocked) it is almost impossible at anything like reasonable figures; in fact, feeders do not seem to want it at any price. The prairie crop this season is said to be the largest in the history of the State, and graded No. 1 last season will now grade choice. There was a better feeling to note for choice prairie and better prices were paid. Clover, when offered, is in demand.

Sales: Track and Warehouse—This side—Prairie—1 car damaged at $5.30, 1 badly discolored at $5.70, 1 Warm side 5 No. 2 at $8, 1 No 2 at $8.25, 1 do at $6.50, 1 do at $6.80, 3 do at $7, 1 No 1 at $7.50, 2 do at $8, 3 choice at $9. Clover—1 car mixed—part at $11 and part at $12. Timothy—2 cars threshed at $6, 1 No 3 at $9.50, 3 No 2 at $11, 2 do (1 baled) at $11.50, 4 No 1 (small baled) at $12, 2 do (small baled) at $13, 9 choice (5 small and four large baled) at $13.50, 8 do (large baled) at $14, 1 do at $14.50.

East Side—Clover—1 car at $10.50. Mixed—1 car poor at $7.50. Timothy—1 car No 1 (small baled) at $12.50, 1 choice (large baled), at $13.50.

LEAD AND SPELTER.

LEAD—Declining and very weak. The East has now large stocks and the Western production is being pushed for sale, but finding few buyers, and these wants limited. There were five sellers late at $3.15 and no buyers above $3.12½. Sales: 100 tons deliverigrant at $3.17½, 100 do at $3.15.

SPELTER—Held at $4.12½, but best bid $4.07½.

ON THE STREET.

(The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.)

FRUITS.

APPLES—Demand fair for choice, but all small, specked and inferior dull and neglected. Choice to fancy, $1@1.25 per bbl; fair fruit, 75@90c; soft, specked or slack-packed, 40@50c. Home-grown sold at 20@40c per bu and 50c@$1.25 per bbl packed.

PEACHES—Steady and demand fair. Illinois and Missouri, 25@40c per one-third bu box; Indiana, 50@75c per bu; fancy Crosstones, $1.75@2; Michigan, 25@40c per ½-bu and 40@75c per bu basket.

PEARS—Demand fair. Bartlett and other choice varieties, $2@2.50 per bbl and 40@50c per ½-bu box; common varieties, $1@1.50 per bbl and 15@ 30c per ½-bu basket.

PLUMS—Damson, 40@50c per ½-bu basket.

GRAPES—Ohio Concord, 18@19c per 9-lb basket; Delaware, 20@25c.

FOREIGN FRUIT—Plums, 90c@$1 per 20-lb box; prunes, $1@1.25; Bartlett pears, $1.50@2.25 per 40-lb crate; peaches, 50@60c per 20-lb box; grapes, Malaga, 75@90c; Tokay, $1@1.25.

ORANGES—Quiet. California, Mediterranean sweet, $3@3.50 per box; Mexican, $3.25@3.50.

LEMONS—Steady. Messina and Palermo, $3@ 3.50 per box; Messinas, $6.50@9 per box.

BANANAS—On orders, $1@2 per bunch.

COCOANUTS—$2@2.25 per 1,000; $2.75 per 100.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, evaporated rings, bright, 6@6½c per lb; 80@90s, 5@5½c; sundried quarters, bright, 5½@5¾c; dark, 2½@3¼c; 100, delivered.

MELONS.

CANTALOUPES—Home-grown, $2@4 per 100.

CHOICE MIXED—Per crate, 25@35c per bu.

WATERMELONS—Very quiet; as the season is about over. Jobbing sales were at $8 to $12 per 100.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Bbl. Home-grown sold at 20@35c per bu and Lower Scots at 1.60@2.25.

ONIONS—Slow and weak at 80c to 90c per bu; Spanish, unripe, small but inferior stock just.

TOMATOES—Home-grown, 25@35c per bu.

CABBAGE—Home-grown, 2@3c per head.

CARROTS—Home-grown on orders, $1.75 per bbl.

TURNIPS—Home-grown on orders, $1.25 per bbl.

BEETS—Home-grown on orders, $1.75@2 per bbl.

PARSNIPS—Home-grown on orders, $1.75@2 per bbl.

HORSERADISH—Home-grown on orders, $3.25@ 3.50 per bbl.

CUCUMBERS—Home-grown, 20@30c per bu.

CELERY—Quiet. Michigan, large, 25@35c per doz; small, 10@15c.

EGG PLANT—Quiet. Home-grown, 50@75c per doz.

POULTRY, GAME AND VEALS.

LIVE POULTRY—Spring chickens lower and quiet; old hens unchanged at 7c per pound; roosters, 3½c per pound; spring chickens, 9c per pound; ducks, 8@9c; spring, 7c; geese, 4@5c; turkeys, 6c; spring, 8c; guineas, 40@45c per pair; pigeons, 40c per dozen squabs, 25c per doz.

VEALS—Steady; demand fair; choice fat, 5½c per lb; fair stock, 4@4½c; heavies and rough stock, 2½@3½c.

EGGS

Receipts, 843 cases; shipments, 1,013 cases. Weather warm and demand quiet. Good run of receipts sold at 12c per doz, loss off. Poor stock much less.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

BUTTER—Quiet, but steady. Creamery—Separator grades, 16@17c; gathered cream, 14@16c; Jersey Elgin, 22½c; same in retail way. Dairy—Good to choice, 14@15c; low to medium, 8@12c. Country butter, fresh and sweet, 7c; poor to fair, 4@5c; grease butter, 3@3½c.

CHEESE—Steady.

Wisconsin—Full cream, twins, 9½c; Englis, 8½c; Young America, per pound, 9½@10c; Limburger, 9½@10c; Swiss, choice, 12½@13c.

WOOL.

Steady, but quiet.

Missouri, Illinois, etc.—	Per Lb.	Ark., I. T., etc.—	Per Lb.
Comb & cloth	14½	Fall and spring.	
Coarse & braid	13	Medium	13@18
Med. clothing	16½	Coarse and low	8@ 9
Low and cotted	10 @11	Fine medium	16@17
Fine medium	16 @17	Fine	9@11
Light fine	10 @11	Heavy fine	6@ 7
Heavy fine	8@ 9	Sandy and heavy	6@ 7
Fine, medium	15 @16	Dak., Wyo., Utah, etc.—	
Hard burry	7½@ 8	Medium	12@13½
Southern hard burry	6½	Coarse and low	12@13½
Kansas and Nebraska—		Light fine	11@12
Medium	11 @13	Fine medium	11@12
Light fine	9 @10	Heavy fine	10 @ 9
Fine, Medium	9 @11	Choice	20½
Heavy fine	7 @ 8	Fair	18@19
Heavy & earthy	6 @ 7	Coarse and low	14@16

HIDES, PELTS, FEATHERS, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—Quiet and weak.

Green salted, heavy steers	7½
Green salted, Southern	7
Dry flint, choice	12½
Dry flint, average fair	11½
Dry flint, native	11
Dry flint, Southern	9 @10
Dry salted	10
Glue stock, green and dry	4 @ 7
Ox selection	
Glue stock, dry salted	7
Green salted, No. 2	6
Uncured 1c and part cured 1½c less.	
Dry flint, No. 1	13
Dry flint, No. 2	10½
Dry salted, No. 1	12
Dry salted, No. 2	10½

HERF—Mess, $6.50@7.50 per bbl; dried, 9½@ 11½c per lb; tongues, $4.50 per doz.

DEERSKINS, ETC.—Deerskins nominal at 18@ 22c per lb for prime—damaged half price; antelope, 12½c; elk skins, 10@20c each.

SHEEPSKINS—No full wool skins coming in. Current arrival bring for green, 35@45c; dry, 20@35c; smaller sizes and lambs, 10@30c; shearlings, 5@10c; fallen sheep, 10@15c.

FEATHERS—Firm. Geese—Prime white, live, small sacks, 35c; large sacks, 37c; gray and quilly, 28c; old white, 30@33c; X, 25@28c; XX, 18@21c; XXX, 10@15c; mixed, 8@10c; duck—White (best), 18@ 20c; Chicken—Dry picked, 21@c. Duck—Dark, 25c; white, 28c. Turkey—Tail, choice and clear, 15c; wing, 7c; wing, fall and pointers, 5c; wing and tail, 5c; pointers, 2½c.

TALLOW—Steady. Prime in oil barrels, 4½c per lb—average stock less, according to quality. No. 2 and stock in irregular lots, 3¾@4c; cake, 4½c.

GREASE—Brown, 3c; yellow, 3½c; white, 4c.

HOPS—Prime stock, 25@30c per pound.

ROOTS—Ginseng, $2.40@2.75 per pound; Seneca, 18@20c; lady slipper, 4c; golden seal, 12@13c; snake, 15@16c—white worth less; blue flag, 4c; pink, 16c; May apple, 10@11c; bloodroot, 3c; queen's root, 4c; black cherry bark of tree, 3c; bitter sweet bark, 4c; blood, 1½@2c; golden thread, 7c; butterfly, 3c; twin leaf, 2c; blue-ly root, 3½c.

LEAF TOBACCO.

1894 Crop.	Burley. Red.	Burley. Colory.	Old Burley. Dk & Hvy.
Common lugs	$3 00@ 4 00	$5 00@ 6 50	$1 50@2 00
Medium lugs	4 00@ 6 00	7 00@ 8 00	2 00@3 00
Good lugs	6 00@ 7 00	8 00@ 9 00	3 00@4 00
Common leaf	5 00@ 7 00	7 00@ 9 00	3 00@4 00
Medium leaf	7 00@ 9 00	9 00@11 00	4 00@5 00
Good leaf	9 00@12 00	12 00@14 00	5 50@8 00

Unsound or defective in condition, length or color, or mixed packages, from 1c to 2c less.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

EMPTY BARRELS—Coal oil, 80c; vinegar, 60c; bbls, 40c; lard oil, 50c; linseed oil, 50c; whiskey, $1.10; whole, $1.40; hams, 30c; hams, 65c; pork, 65c; sacks, 20c; molasses, 25c; pickles, 25@30c; barrels with broken staves, 25c less.

COOPERSTUFFS—Shaved hoops, cooper four barrels, $2.25@2.50; country, $2.50@2.75; half barrels, $1.50; coffee elm, $3.50@4; pork barrels, 25@30c; lard tierce, $2@2.50. Staves—Flour barrel, $4.50@6.75; ehlls, $2.50@3; half-barrels, $4@4.50; pork barrels, $15; lard tierce, $22; beer keg, $10@12. Heading—Flour barrel, 2½ per set.

WHITE BEANS—Country sell at $1.20@1.80 per bu; weevily lots; Eastern hand-picked medium jobbing at $2.10@2.15; pea beans, $2.15@2.20; Lima at 5½@5¾c per lb.

POPCORN—Quotable at from 1½@1¾c per lb, as to quality.

MAPLE SUGAR—Vermont, 11c per lb; Canada, 14@15c.

HONEY—Choice in obls and half obls, nominal, for dark and 8@9c for light; in cans, 5@6c; choice white comb, 12@14c; dark and broken, 8@9c.

HOPS—New crop choice, 20@25c per lb; Pacific Coast, 16@18c; foreign, 25@30c.

HEMP—Missouri, undressed, $70@80 per ton.

BROOM CORN—Hurl—Green, 4c; fair color, 3½c; red or yellow, 2½c; crooked or inferior, 2c. Inside and covers—Green, 2c; red or yellow, 1½c. Damaged stock—Half price. Dwarf—Brush corn, fair to choice, 1½c to 4c. Crooked—Good color, half price.

DRIED GREEN PEAS—Jobbing at $1 per bu; Scotch, $1.05@1.10; split, $1.20@1.25.

SCRAP IRON AND METAL—Iron wrought, old per 2,240 lbs, $12@12.50; mixed, $11@11.50; cast, $10@10.50; machine, $11@11.50; axle, $15@15.50; table and burnt, 50c; brass—Light, $3; heavy, $5. Copper, $8. Lead, $3.25. Zinc, $2. Pewter, $7.

SALT—Domestic, East Side, 85@90c per bbl; this side, 90@95c.

BAGGING—Order prices: 1¼-lb, 4½c; 2-lb, 5c; 2¼-lb, 5½c. Iron ties, 60c. Hemp twine, 9c per lb.

SACKS—Burlaps, 40-lb, or 7-lbs, per 1,000 pcs; 44-lb, $6.50; 46-lb or 7-lbs, $6.75; 48-lb, $7; 50-lb, $7.25; 44-lb, $6.50; 46-lb, $6.75; 48-lb, $7; 50-lb, $7.25; 4-lb, $4.50; 5-lb, $4.75; 6-lb, $5; 7-lb, $5.25; 8-lb, $5.50; 9-lb, $5.75; 10-lb, $6; 4-lb, 2½c; 5-lb, 2¾c; 6-lb, 3c; 7-lb, 3½c; 8-lb, 3¾c; 9-lb, 4c; 10-lb, 4½c

Our Columbus SALE

The Sale by which you can get goods needed and carry away unexpected dollars in your pocket.

14,800 Pounds of Freight is the record of our Shipping Department for the past three days. This means **37** cases of bright, new and seasonable goods received from the Columbus of Chicago, to be put on our shelves and counters To-day for To-Morrow's business. We are getting in the Columbus goods as fast as they can be packed and shipped, and the end is not yet. To-morrow morning they will be ready for you at the following prices. **58** Cents on the Dollar we paid. Bargains of a life-time await you here.

Men's Clothing of Sterling Worth.

Grand Wear-Giving Properties—Faultless in Make.

Only Awaits the Prestige of Your Approval.

Men's Sack Suits, strong and serviceable,	Columbus Prices, $6, $7.50 and $8.	Our Price,	$3.47
Men's Cassimere Suits, all wool, plain and fancy patterns,	Columbus Prices, $10, $12 and $13.	Our Price,	$6.89
Men's Single and Double-Breasted Sack and Frock Suits, in regular, stouts, longs, extra sizes,	Columbus Prices, $15, $16.50, $17.50.	Our Price,	$8.77
Men's Fine Suits, Frocks, Single and Double-Breasted Sacks—Clays, Cassimeres, Thibets, Worsteds, Cheviots, Whipcords, Serge, etc,	Columbus Prices, $18 and $20.	Our Price,	$11.55
Men's Magnificent Suits—Frocks, Serge, and Double-Breasted Sacks, Prince Alberts—very finest of domestic productions and imported fabrics, perfectly tailored; tailor's prices $30 and $40;	Columbus Prices, $22 to $27.	Our Price,	$13.95
PANTS In Stripes and Mixtures—good and serviceable,	Columbus Prices, $1.25 and $1.50.	Our Price,	63c
Union Cassimeres, extra quality,	Columbus Price, $2.00.	Our Price,	$1.12
Cassimeres—grand value,	Columbus Price, $2.50.	Our Price,	$1.69
Cassimeres—Cheviots and Worsteds—dressy and elegant,	Columbus Price, $3.50 and $4.	Our Price,	$2.27
Cassimeres—Cheviots and Worsteds—magnificent goods,	Columbus Prices, $4.50, $5 and $5.50.	Our Price,	$3.33
Imported Cassimeres—Cheviots and Worsteds, elegantly tailored, finely finished,	Columbus Price, $6, $6.50 and $7.	Our Price,	$4.21
OVERCOATS Such as sold by	Columbus at $6.00.	Our Price,	$2.95
Such as sold by	Columbus at $9 and $10.	Our Price,	$5.69
Beavers, Kerseys, Cassimeres and Cheviots,	Columbus Prices, $12 and $15.	Our Price,	$8.12
Overcoats which are elegant and excellent enough to please fastidious dressers,	Columbus Prices, $15 and $16.50.	Our Price,	$9.87
Overcoats which are ablaze with the glory and glow of the best of tailor's work,	Columbus Prices, $18 and $20.	Our Price,	$12.14

Boys' and Children's Clothing.

Stylish and Dependable—For Play or School.

Here are Bargain Snaps in Absolutely Reliable Goods, Just What Parents Look for in Juvenile Apparel.

Boys'—4 to 14 years—Double-Breasted Suits, fancy and mixed patterns—strong and serviceable,	Columbus Prices, $1.00, $1.75 and $2.	Our Price,	94c
Boys'—4 to 14 years—Double-Breasted Suits and Boys' 3 to 7 years Reefer Suits,	Columbus Prices, $3.50 and $4.00.	Our Price,	$1 25
Boys—4 to 14 years—Double-Breasted Black Thibet Suits,	Columbus Price, $4.50.	Our Price,	$1 98
Boys' Double-Breasted Suits, ages 4 to 15; Boys' Junior Suits, ages 3 to 6; Boys' Reefer Suits, ages 4 to 8; Boys' Jersey Suits, ages 3 to 8,	Columbus Prices, $4.00 and $4.50.	Our Price,	$2 37
Boys' Double-Breasted, Jersey Reefer and Junior Suits,	Columbus Prices, $4.50 and $5.00.	Our Price,	$2 95
Boys' Double-Breasted Suits, ages 6 to 10, Scotch Cheviots, fancy mixed Cassimeres, black and blue Clays and Serges, black, blue and brown Thibets and Cheviots, Fancy Worsteds,	Columbus Prices, $6.00, $7 and $7.50.	Our Price,	$4 15

BOYS' WAISTS.

Boys' full shape Flannelette Pleated Waists,	Columbus Price, 50c	Our Price,	24c
Mothers' Friend Waists, all new patterns,	Columbus Price, 50c.	Our Price,	32c

BOYS' KNEE PANTS.

All-Wool Cassimere and Cheviot Knee Pants,	Columbus Prices, 75c and 85c.	Our Price,	44c

BOYS' OVERCOATS.

Children's Cape Overcoats, plain and fancy colors,	Columbus Price, $3.00.	Our Price,	$1 57
Children's Cape Overcoats, solid colors of blue and brown, fancy plaids, stripes and mixtures, Cassimeres,	Columbus Prices, $4.50, $5 and $6.	Our Price,	$2 79

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS.

Ages 14 to 20. Breast Measure 31 to 36.

Assorted patterns and designs Cassimere and Cheviots,	Columbus Prices, $6 and $7.	Our Price,	$3 98
Young Men's Suits,	Columbus Prices, $9 and $10.	Our Price,	$5 85
Young Men's Sack Suits,	Columbus Prices, $12 and $13.50.	Our Price,	$7 65.
Young Men's Single and Double-Breasted Suits,	Columbus Prices, $14.50 and $16.50.	Our Price,	$9 25

"The COLUMBUS" carried an Immense Stock of

Ladies' Suits, Dresses, Jackets and Capes.

LADIES' SUITS.

Look How Cheap.

One lot of Ladies' Suits and Dresses, slightly soiled, Columbus prices $6, $7.50 and $9.50	$2.98
Another lot of Ladies' Suits and Dresses, some slightly soiled, skirts all lined, Columbus prices $7.50, $8.50 to $12.50,	$3.98
75 Ladies' Suits and Dresses, tight-fitting cutaway, some silk lined, skirts all lined, Columbus prices $10, $15 and $16	$4.98
Don't fail to see the Suits we are selling at $6 98, $7.50, $10 to $15—one-third Columbus prices.	

LADIES' SKIRTS.

1000 Figured Cashmere Skirts, 4 yards wide, lined throughout, Columbus price $2.98, Our price	$1.75
180 Brilliantine Skirts, all lined, Columbus price $6.50, Our price	$3.50
All-Wool Serge Skirts, black and navy, 4½ yards wide, lined throughout, Columbus price $7.50,	$5.00
80 Fine Brocaded SATIN SKIRTS, Percaline Lined, 4 yards wide, Columbus price $15.00, Our Price	$7.50

SILK WAISTS.

Choice of lot Silk Waists, Columbus price up to $5, Our price	$1.25
Lot of Silk Waists, Columbus price up to $10, Our price	$2.50

LADIES' CAPES.

200 Ladies' Tan Broadcloth Capes, Braid Trimming, Columbus price $3.98, Our Price,	75c
800 Ladies' Tan Capes, handsomely embroidered, Columbus price $3.98, Our Price,	$1.98
300 Ladies' Fine Tan Broadcloth Capes, elegantly embroidered, Columbus price $5.50. Our Price	$2.48

LADIES' JACKETS.

300 Ladies' Jackets, black and navy, Columbus price $3.00,	$1.98
Ladies' Black Clay Jackets, large sleeves, pearl buttons, Columbus price $7.50,	$2.50

SILK TEA GOWNS.

80 Silk Tea Gowns, Columbus prices $5, $7.50 to $15, Our price	$4.98
100 Cashmere Tea Gowns, all colors, and black, Columbus prices $6.50, $8, $8.50 and $10, Our price	$3.25

WRAPPERS.

100 doz. Ladies' Wrappers, Columbus prices 98c, $1.25 Our price	59c
See the Wrapper Columbus sold for $1.25 and $1.50.	75c
See the Wrapper Columbus sold for $1.50, $1.98 and $2.25	98c

Millinery.

Has your neighbor told you of the great bargain she bought of us in a Fall

TRIMMED HAT. Columbus prices $7.50 to $10.	$5.00
JETTED COQUE FEATHERS, 10 pieces. Columbus price 25c	10c
BLACK QUILLS, 3 in bunch	1c
AIGRETTES, Heavy Jetted, Columbus Price 15c.	7c
BOAS COQUE FEATHERS, EXTRA LONG, Columbus Price $1.00.	39c

JEWELRY.

SHIRT WAIST SETS, silver metal, 5 pieces. Columbus price 15c.	5c
SCREW EARRINGS, Colored stone settings. Columbus price 25c	15c
EARRINGS, SOLID GOLD, Rhinestone settings. Columbus price $1.00.	50c
SIDE COMBS, extra long. Columbus Price 25c	15c
WATCH GUARDS, Silk Ribbon, with 3 large bows Columbus Price 25c.	12c
SHELL HAIR ORNAMENTS, In unique new designs, Columbus price 50c	10c

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS

Ladies' colored embroidered good quality silk Handkerchiefs, Columbus price 15c	9c
Ladies' Best Quality White Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched borders, with large embroidered initial. Columbus price 35c	19c
BABY CAPS, Heavy embroidered silk Baby Caps, with full ruching and pompon. Columbus price 40c	25c

NOTIONS.

Hair Brushes, solid oak back, Columbus price 35c.	19c
Hair Brushes, solid oak, good bristle, Columbus price 50c	25c
Dressing Comb, good rubber, 9 inches long. Columbus price 10c	5c
GENUINE BUTTERMILK SOAP, 3 cakes in box, Columbus price 10c a cake. Our Price for box of 3 cakes.	15c

Hats, Caps And Ladies' Waterproof Circulars.

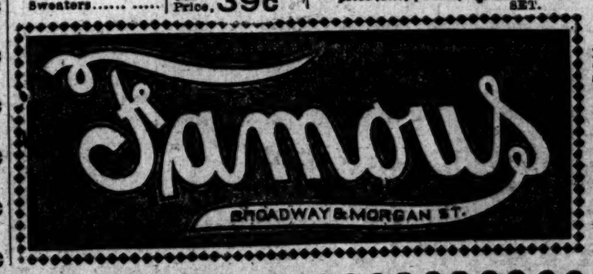
Children's Blue Cloth Stanley Caps,	Columbus price 49c.	Our Price	29c
Children's Blue and Light Colored Stanley Caps,	Columbus price 89c.	Our Price	50c
Boys' Bicycle Caps, in Fancy Patterns,	Columbus price 43c.	Our Price	25c
Men's and Youths' Tourist Hats, in Blacks and Browns,	Columbus price 98c.	Our Price	57c
Men's Imported French Crush Hats, all Colors,	Columbus prices $1.75 & $2.50	Our Price	98c
Children's Tam O'Shanters, in Brown and Fancy Colors,	Columbus price 89c and 50c.	Our Price	15c
Men's Black and Brown, Stiff and Soft Hats, Miller, Youman and Dunlap Styles,	Columbus prices $2.25 and $3.50.	Our Price	$1.50
47 (no more or less) Ladies' Cloth Surface Waterproof Circulars, Peasant Style,	Columbus price $1.49.	Our Price	69c
Ladies' Cloth Surface Waterproof Garments, Inverness Style, Fancy Stripes only,	Columbus price $1.98.	Our Price	98c
Ladies' Cloth Surface Waterproof Garments, Inverness Style, in Brown, Blue and Black and Gray Colors,	Columbus prices $3.50, $4 & $4.50.	Our Price	$1.98

Rich Pickings For Ladies.

Ladies' All-Wool Sweaters, Columbus price $3.00. Our Price		$1.98
Ladies' Egyptian Yarn Sleeveless Vests, summer weight, silk trimmed, Columbus price 35c. Our Price		15c
250 Ladies' 26 inch Silk Gloria Umbrellas, with fine handles, Columbus price $1.50. Our price		89c
100 Ladies' 26 inch Silk Gloria Umbrellas, with finely carved rubber handles, Columbus price $2.00. Our Price		$1.39
150 dozen Ladies' Regular Made Fast Black Hose, Columbus price 20c. Our Price		8c
75 dozen Extra Fine Gauge Fast Black Hermsdorf Dye, full regular made, Columbus price 25c. Our Price		11c
Misses' Tan Hose, full regular made, Columbus price 25c. Our Price		15c
Misses' Fast Black Hose, full regular made, Columbus price 25c. Our Price		12½c
All-Wool Misses' Hose, full regular made, Columbus price 35c. Our Price		19c
Ladies' All-Wool Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants. Columbus price $1.25. Our Price		63c
Ladies' Combination Suits in natural color and Cream, Columbus price 30c. Our Price		19c
60 dozen Ladies' Merino Vests, Columbus price 25c. Our Price		17c
3 cases Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Ladies' Vests, full weight, Columbus price 25c. Our price		13c

UNPARALLELED MONEY-SAVING VALUES IN FURNISHING GOODS.

1,800 dozen Men's French Mixed Full Seamless Half Hose	Columbus price 15c.	Our Price,	7c
850 dos Men's Drop Stitch, Full Regular Made Balbriggan Half Hose	Columbus price 25c.	Our Price,	12½c
180 dozen Men's Tans and Black Full Regular Made Half Hose	Columbus price 20c.	Our price,	10c
Men's Black Full Regular Made Silk Half Hose	Columbus price 75c.	Our Price,	35c 3 for $1.00
What is left of about 800 dos Men's Black, Tans and Fancy Colored Half Hose	Columbus price 8c.	Our Price,	2c
2 cases Men's All-Wool Seamless Half Hose, natural, blue and grays	Columbus price 25c.	Our Price,	12½c
800 dos Men's Germantown Seamless Blue and Gray Mixed Half Hose	Columbus price 12½c.	Our Price,	5c
75 dozen Men's Black Seamless Bicycle Hose	Columbus price $1.00.	Our Price,	50c
20 dozen Men's All-Wool Golf Bicycle Hose	Columbus price $1.50.	Our Price,	79c
Suspenders.	Columbus price 75c and $1.00.	Our Price,	50c
Suspenders	Columbus price 50c.	Our Price,	25c
Extra Fine Satin Embroidered Suspenders	Columbus price 75c.	Our Price,	39c
Men's Club-house Cravats, Imperials, Tecks, Scarfs, all new novelties, De Journilles	Columbus prices 50c, 75c and $1.	Our Price,	25c
Men's New Style Link Cuff Buttons. Men's Separable Studs, in all the latest designs	Columbus price 50c.	Our Price,	25c
	Columbus price 40c.	Our price,	15c
Men's Brilliant Scarf Pins and Studs	Columbus price $1.	Our Price,	25c
First of the season! 50 dozen Men's Unlined Fall and Winter Gloves	Columbus price $1.	Our Price,	50c
Another lot of Winter Gloves	Columbus price $1.25 to $1.50.	Our Price,	75c
Men's Heavy Scotch Winter Gloves	Columbus price 50c.	Our Price,	25c
Men's Heavy-Weight Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers	Columbus price 65c.	Our Price,	33c
Men's Rib'd Cotton Shirts and Drawers, satin front, pearl buttons	Columbus price 75c.	Our Price,	50c
Men's Jersey Ribbed All-Wool Shirts and Drawers.	Columbus price $1.50.	Our Price,	75c
Men's Light Blue Medium Weight All-Wool Shirts and Drawers.	Columbus price $1.00.	Our Price,	50c
Some odd lots of Men's Summer Undershirts at 50c on the dollar.			
100 doz Men's All-Wool sweaters, full regular made, white, maroon, navy and blacks	Columbus price $1.50.	Our Price,	89c
See the Men's Sweaters	Columbus price 50c and 75c.	Our Price,	39c



FOR THRIFTY, CAREFUL HOUSEKEEPERS.

HOW WE WILL MAKE THINGS HUM IN OUR ECONOMY BASEMENT TO-MORROW.

Imported English Dinner Sets, with flower and spray decorations, on a clear white surface, 100 pieces to each set,	Columbus price $10,	Our Price,	$5 89 SET.
Imported English Tea Set, flower decorations, 56 pieces to each set,	Columbus price $4.50,	Our Price,	$2 98 SET.

Decorated China Tea Cups and Saucers,	Columbus Price 25c each.	Our Price	15c

An assorted lot of 13 pieces Chamber Sets, all with large Jars, Columbus Price $10 and $12. Our Price, $5 89

Quart Mason Jars, all complete, with porcelain lined caps and rubbers,	Columbus price	Our Price	46c doz.
Steel Blade Butcher Knives,	Columbus price 10c.	Our Price	5c each
Strawberry Diamond Cut Glass Tumblers,	Columbus price 50c.	Our Price	23c each
Carving Sets, Shemield Steel, Genuine Stag Handles,	Columbus Price, $1.25.	Our Price,	69c pair
TIN CUPS,	Columbus price 5c	Our Price	1c each
Moore's Folding Lunch Box,	Columbus price 25c.	Our Price,	17c each
Good 2-String Whisk Broom,	Columbus price 10c.	Our Price,	5c
Bicycle Lubricating Oil,	Columbus price 10c.	Our Price,	3c each
Best quality Lemon and Vanilla Extract,	Columbus price 10c.	Our Price,	6c bottle

6-Hole Muffin Pan, Columbus Price, 10c. Our Price, 5c

Never Break Steel Spiders, No. 7, Columbus price 25c. Our Price 19c ea.; No. 8, Columbus price 30c. Our Price 19c ea.; No. 9, Columbus price 35c. Our Price 23c ea.

CITY NEWS.

Private matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. Dr. Dinsbeer, 314 Pine.

CONSUMPTION AND PARDON.

Charles Thompson, a St. Louis Criminal, Will Not Serve Out His Time.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 11.—Charles Thompson, who was convicted at the May term, 1891, of the St. Louis Criminal Court of the crime of burglary in the second degree and sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary, was to-day pardoned by Gov. Stone. He has consumption and can live but a short time.

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Dropped Dead.

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SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 11.—Adam Jacobs, for many years a member of the police force, dropped dead on the street this morning from heart disease.

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GUYED THE WHEEL-RIDERS.

Very Ungentlemanly Conduct of Members of the Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Heine Marks isn't the only man who has a dislike for the bicycle. From the conduct of several members of the Y. M. C. A. it is presumed these gentlemen also have pronounced views upon the wheel.

Last Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Barron Gardner of 2845 Morgan street, Mr. Hall of the Goddard Hall Commission Company, and Mrs. Obellner, coming in from Forest Park on their wheels, rode down Pine to Twenty-ninth and turned past the Y. M. C. A. building on their way home.

When just opposite that building ten or twelve young men, sitting on the front porch, began to scoff, jeer and yell, "Oh, look at 'em!" "Get onto the bikers!" etc., in a fashion calculated to greatly embarass the ladies and provoke the ire of the gentlemen.

In telling the circumstances Mrs. Gardner said: "I never heard of such a disgraceful thing in my life—and coming from a source from which we expect entirely different conduct.

"If it had been from a saloon or some small urchin I would have paid no attention to it, but from members of the Y. M. C. A., I was shocked. Since my husband and myself have been riding we have passed saloons, club houses and many public resorts, but this is the first time anything of this kind ever happened. There might have been some excuse had we been riding along laughing and talking loudly, or if we ladies had on bloomers or some immodest costume, but we didn't. We were all very tired from our ride in from the park and were wheeling along slowly and quietly, not saying a word. Our costumes couldn't have been more quiet. Both my friend and myself wore skirts down to our ankles and leggins. It was one of the most disgraceful things I ever heard of."

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NOBILITY IN JAIL.

Lady Gunning Must Do Hard Labor in Prison for a Year.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Lady Rose Gunning was sentenced to imprisonment for a year at hard labor for forging her father's name to checks. She is the daughter of Hon. William H. Fry Spencer. She is middle-aged.

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TOBACCO ABLAZE.

Large Warehouses at Lancaster Totally Destroyed by Fire.

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 11.—Early this morning the large double brick tobacco warehouse owned by Roland Brubaker and John F. Brimmer, and occupied respectively by Amos B. Hostetter and John F. Brimmer, were totally destroyed by fire of incendiary origin. The warehouses were valued at $5,000 each and the one occupied by Hostetter contained leaf tobacco valued at $65,000. In the Brimmer building there were 1,500 cases of leaf tobacco valued at $55,000. The warehouses occupied by J. Bunzel & Son, New York packers, adjoining the burning buildings on both sides, were only saved by throwing immense quantities of water on the roofs; holes were knocked in both and tobacco in them was damaged by smoke and water to the extent of several thousand dollars.

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Zeuschel Holds His Peace.

John W. Zeuschel, Alderman Kriete-meyer's ex-partner, who has been summoned into the Police Court for disturbing Krietemeyer's peace, still refuses to unbosom himself and verify the charges he has made against Krietemeyer in the matter of securing fireman positions by bribery. He contents himself with the assertion that he will go before the next Grand-jury and tell all. He is confident that Krietemeyer will be indicted, but for what he does not know.

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JUDGE HOUSTON INJURED.

Fell From a Street Car and Dislocated His Hip.

Judge Joshua Houston, 77 years old, living at 4013 Delmar boulevard, met with a serious accident while stepping from a St. Louis and suburban car at Seventh and Locust streets at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. He thought he was on the bottom step, but was not and so he stumbled and fell. His right hip was dislocated. He was taken to the Dispensary, where Dr. Kearney examined him, but, as it would have been necessary to administer chloroform to put the joint in place, the old gentleman was sent home at his own request to be attended by his family physician. Owing to his advanced age he will be laid up some weeks. Judge Houston is an old resident of St. Louis and St. Louis county. He was a member for several years of the County Court, whence he acquired the title of judge.

NEVER TOUCHED HIM.

Annie Chase Shoots Four Times a Patrick White Unavailingly.

Annie Chase, colored, of 1810 North Fifteenth street, resented 15-year-old Patrick White's throwing stones at her dogs Wednesday by firing four shots at White from a revolver. She was arrested, a warrant charging assault to kill applied for by White, who lives at 1231 O'Fallon street.

The woman's story is that White and other boys amuse themselves frequently by throwing stones at her husband and herself. About 11 a. m. Wednesday she said White and his gang began bombarding her house. She warned them and all left except White, who poured a volley into the Chases' dog kennel. The woman then fired at White four times. None of the shots took effect.

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Morphine Eater's Narrow Escape.

Kate Davis, an unfortunate woman, purchased 40 cents worth of morphine at the drug store southwest corner Ninth and Franklin avenue at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning, turned her back to the clerk and swallowed half of the dose. At Ninth and Locust street she sank to the sidewalk. A policeman had her conveyed to the City Hospital by way of the City Dispensary. She is 26 years old and lives at Twelfth and Locust streets. Her home is in Evansville, Ind. She has been nine years in St. Louis.

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Peper Cotton Press, for the election of three directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, No. 24 S. Main st., in the City of St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, the 16th day of September, 1895. The meeting will be convened at 9 o'clock a. m. of said day.
J. C. TAYLOR, President.
R. M. MYERS, Secretary.
St. Louis, Sept. 3, 1895. 4893

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING of F. Peckham Liquor Co. for the election of directors and such other business as may come before it will be held at the offices of the company, 412 Washington avenue, St. Louis, Mo., at 9 o'clock a. m., on Wednesday, Sept. 25, 1895. E. B. PECKHAM, President.
HARRY TEMPLE, Secretary

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Unconscious for a Month.

Thomas Sheridan, 20 years old and married, was taken to the Alexian Brothers hospital Wednesday morning from his home, 3020 Mullanphy street. On Aug. 18 Sheridan fell from a wagon at Fourth street and Franklin avenue and was knocked senseless, in which condition he has been ever since.

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A New St. Louis Corporation.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 11.—The Secretary of State to-day chartered the Clarksville Cider Co. of St. Louis, capital $30,000; incorporators, W. H. Avis, George Keightley, George Miltenberger, H. B. Miltenberger.

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DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—The Consolidated Coal Company of St. Louis, Office of the Secretary, Laclede Building, Fourth and Olive sts.—A dividend of one (1) per cent on the capital stock of this company (being number fifteen) was declared by the Board of Directors this day, payable October 1st, 1895, to stockholders of record, at close of business September 21st, 1895. Transfer books will be closed September 22d, 1895, to October 1st, 1895, both days inclusive. GEORGE T. CUTTER, Secretary.
St. Louis, September 10th, 1895.

LEGAL.

RECEIVER'S SALE—By virtue of and in pursuance of an order made by the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, made and entered on the 9th day of September, 1895, in the case of Wm. A. Jeffs et al. vs. Sophie Holland, wherein the undersigned was appointed receiver, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the Clinton Iron Works Building, 117-119 Clinton st., in the City of St. Louis, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 2 o'clock p. m. of Wednesday, the 11th day of September, 1895, in bulk, the following described property belonging to the said Clinton Iron Works: Drill press and tools, engine, shafting, pullers and boiler belonging to the engine, 6 vises, anvil, blower and fan, sundry tools, emery wheel and stand, 2 straightening blocks, lot of steel tools, punches and punch-block, 10 belts of different sizes and lengths, pair of shear blocks, 2 pairs of cattles, 40 bushels of steam coal, 30 bushels blacksmith's coal, lot of scrap iron, office furniture, table and desk. Terms of sale: Sale subject to approval of court; highest bidder must deposit with receiver a certified check for $175, which will be returned to him, provided the court does not approve the sale, balance to be paid in cash on approval of same.
CHARLES A. DAVIS, Receiver,
710 Union Trust Building.
Sept. 6, 1895. 4844

ESTATE of Paul Olmstead, Deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Paul Olmstead, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 9th day of September, 1895.
All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.
Dated this 9th day of September, 1895.
GEORGE ANGELRODT BAER,
Administrator of Paul Olmstead, Deceased.